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ORCHIDS  
FUCHSIAS  
BEGONIAS

**Laelia Anceps**  
An easy-to-grow,  
hardy outdoor  
variety. Excellent  
for the shaded areas  
of your garden.  
See page 9.

**BAAKE NURSERY**

**2616 South Sawtelle Boulevard  
WEST LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA**



**FORTY-TWO YEARS IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**



# FUCHSIAS

There is no more satisfactory shrub for the partially shaded area of your garden than the Fuchsia. It may be grown in every state in the Union. Many varieties bloom continuously from early spring until late fall. With its almost endless variety of types and forms, its single and double flowers, ranging in size from that of a tiny lilac blossom up to flowers five inches long, and a color range from white through the entire gamut to violet, it is little wonder that today it is one of the most popular flowering shrubs.

At my nursery in West Los Angeles, I have growing over 200 varieties. In this collection you will find tiny dwarf types, others that make veritable trees 15 to 20 feet tall. Then again we have trailing and climbing varieties, others that make excellent hanging basket subjects, and still others that may be used for low hedges. From this collection I have selected those that are most popular and those with the most contrast of color or type.

## HOW TO GROW FUCHSIAS

Fuchsias are one of the easiest plants to grow. Their native home is the tropic and semi-tropical areas of North and South America, with a few coming to us from far-off New Zealand. They are at home in practically any country of the world and will thrive in any state of the Union.

Select a shaded or partially shaded area of your garden in which to plant them. Give them a rich friable soil made up of two parts garden loam, one part leafmold or peat and one part well rotted manure. To this add occasional light feedings of some good commercial fertilizer and you will have a glorious display of gorgeous bloom for many months. During the hot summer, top dress the soil around the base of the plants with one inch of leafmold or peatmoss. This will keep the roots cool, which is one of the few requisites of Fuchsias. They will not stand an outside temperature below 20 degrees Fahrenheit. In cold countries they must be lifted with a ball of earth around the roots and stored away during extreme cold weather, then reset in the spring.

## Fuchsias are a Baake Specialty

### PRICES

Prices for all Fuchsia plants are as follows, unless otherwise marked:	
Plants in 3-inch pots, each.....	\$0.15
Plants in 4-inch pots, each.....	.25
Plants in 6-inch pots, each.....	.50
Specimen plants in 4-gallon containers, each.....	1.25

by the twisted rose-red sepals. Every home owner should have at least one of these. 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each; 6-inch pots, 65c each. (See front cover.)

**BALKAN:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 7.

**BEVERLY HILLS:** Considered by many to be one of the finest of the new single varieties. The corolla of the flower is an entrancing shade of burgundy-red. The sepals are glowing pink, striped with white.

**BLACK PRINCE:** A very fine old variety that has been overlooked lately by some of the growers. It is much like Display, with a little more violet in the corolla. Medium tall grower with good foliage, excellent bloomer.

**BLUE BOY:** Medium sized flowers of violet blue. A rugged grower, and profuse bloomer. Everyone likes it as soon as they see a plant in bloom.

**BRILLIANT:** All that the name implies, and a great improvement over our old friend Red Monarch. The plant is a tall, well shaped, vigorous specimen, and will stand more sun than most other fuchsias. Covered almost the year around with masses of bloom. Scarlet sepals and violet corolla.

**BUTTERFLY:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 7.

**CALIFORNIA:** A tall, vigorous grower, light green foliage. Large single flowers. Corolla of bright orange, sepals light coral-pink. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c; 4-inch pots, 35c each.

## CALIFORNIA

## Single Flowered

### AVIATOR

**AMY LYE:** One is always attracted to this Fuchsia wherever it is exhibited, and rightly so, for it is one of the most satisfactory of all Fuchsias. The plant has a strong, compact habit of growth, and is covered throughout the entire season with a profusion of bloom. The single flowers are coral-orange, with waxy white sepals.

**ANTIGON:** A showy and very spritely one with white sepals and orange-pink corolla. New and different enough to make a hit with all who see it. 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**AURORA BOREALIS:** A medium tall one with good foliage and habit of growth. The blossoms have a bright orange corolla with narrow pointed sepals of soft pink tipped green.

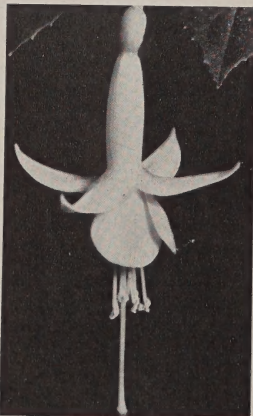
**AURORA SUPERBA:** I have been trying for two days to think of descriptive adjectives that would do justice to its beautiful flowers. But alas! Words fail me and the following is the best that I can do. The corolla is a deep orange-peach with sepals and tube of iridescent orange-apricot. The plant is not a tall grower, never growing over 3 to 4 feet. I would not think of making a Fuchsia planting without including this dazzling subject.

**AUSTRA-MONTANA:** A newly discovered species from South America. Extremely interesting. Attractive dark green foliage, with single brilliant orange flowers about three inches long, flaring wide at the end of the tube. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 25c; plants in 4-inch pots, each 50c.

**AUTUMNAL (Meteor):** A novel and striking variety that lends itself to training on a fence or trellis very readily; in fact, it is a real climber. The foliage in the spring and summer is a highly colored combination of bronze and orange with a dash of yellow here and there, and only a slight touch of green. The corolla of the flower is a light purple with scarlet sepals. The plant is liked by all who see it. Stock limited.

### AVIATOR

I never tire of admiring this wonderful Fuchsia. Each day as I pass the plant I have set out in the nursery I am stopped by its radiant beauty. From early spring until Christmas this plant pours forth a never ending shower of beautiful flowers, for all to enjoy. Exquisite long white petals, that are displayed to perfection



AMY LYE







**DUCHESS OF ALBANY**

**CASCADE:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 7.

**CLARET CUP:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 7.

**COLIBRI:** A small flowered variety, but very attractive. The plant is a rather compact grower with small foliage and myriads of red and purple flowers. It is an early bloomer and really worthwhile.

**COVENT GARDEN:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 7.

#### **COUNTRESS OF ABERDEEN**

Conceded by all to be the most dainty of all Fuchsias. The single, medium sized flowers have sepals and corolla of delicate pearl pink. We have been trying for years to build up a stock of this beauty, but find ourselves always over-sold. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c ea.; 4-inch pots, 50c ea.**

**CUPID:** Deep blue-pink corolla with glowing deep pink sepals. A fine compact grower, producing a never-ending show of beautiful bloom. Excellent for pot or border culture.

**DISPLAY:** No plant could be better named, for of all Fuchsias this beauty remains among the most popular. From early spring until late November it produces a sensational show. The blossoms have broad open petals of deep rosy-pink, set upon clear pink sepals. The plant is a compact medium grower. Maximum height 5 feet.

**DUCHESS OF ALBANY:** This and Swanley Yellow are the only real rivals of Display. The plant is a tall grower and a continuous bloomer with fine bright green foliage. After all, what more can be said in favor of any plant? The deep reddish pink corolla is set upon faintly tinted waxy white sepals, giving the impression of a beautiful, well-set gem.

#### **RAINBOW COLLECTION**

A real opportunity for you to secure a wonderful collection of fuchsias at small cost. These plants are all first class in every respect.

**15** plants, my choice, no two **\$175**  
alike, all properly labeled for  
By Express, in California, \$2.75

**ERNEST RENAIKE:** For the past two years I've been telling you how good this one is. Now I am more convinced than ever that it is one of the best tall growing varieties. Luxuriant green foliage which enhances the beauty of the bloom. Iridescent rose-pink corolla, shading to sparkling white at the base; waxy-white sepals.

**ERECTA NOVELTY:** Contrary to the rule of all other fuchsias the flowers stand erect instead of hanging down. The color is a delightful combination of red, white and pink. **Plants in 3-inch pots, each, 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c. Illustrated Page 7.**

**FALLING STARS:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 7.

**FIREFALL:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 7.

**FIREFLUSH:** Well named with its large brilliant flowers of glowing orange, enhanced by sepals of light salmon-rose. A medium grower of open habit. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each; 6-inch pots, 85c each.**

**FORMOSISSIMA:** Very good one to have but difficult to secure. Tube and sepals creamy-white, violet corolla. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.**



**ERNEST RENAIKE**

#### **Specimen Plants**

In addition to the many varieties of fuchsias listed in this catalog, we have many fine specimen plants in larger sizes ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$5.00 each.

#### **Tree Shaped Fuchsias**

Many varieties lend themselves readily to standard or tree shaped culture. Because of the long blooming season of the fuchsias they make excellent tub or pot-plant subjects for the patio or garden.

**FORGET-ME-NOT (Niederholzer):** One of the most dainty of the single, medium-sized flowers. Pale pink tube and sepals with pale blue corolla. Strong, upright grower, profuse bloomer. Seems to do best in deep shade. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 2c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.**

**GLENDALE (E. & R.):** A very strong, tall growing, vigorous plant with a profusion of dainty single coral-pink flowers. This is a very fine variety that will stand full sun if planted along the coastal regions of California. **Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; in 4-inch pots, each 35c.**

#### **ERECTA NOVELTY**







**HENRI POINCARÉ**  
See Page 8



**LUCIEN BREVAL**

**HALLOWE'EN (D-Legen):** See hanging basket varieties, Page 7.

**HAUTE MONDE (Hazard & Hazard):** Single corolla of tyrian rose, sepals creamy white washed with tyrian rose. A good grower with very attractive foliage.

**LEO DELIBES:** A new one that has already become a great favorite. It has pink and white sepals with petals of deep purple shading lighter at the base. A strong upright grower with good foliage. 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**LITTLE BEAUTY:** Truly a little beauty. The plant is dwarf and compact, which makes it excellent for pot culture or for planting. Very free flowering with lavender-blue corolla changing to rosy-lavender. The deep pink sepals make a fine contrast. Plant in 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**LORD BYRON:** Another dwarf bushy plant of great merit. The dark green foliage makes a perfect background for the deep velvety purple and scarlet flowers. Very popular.

**LUSTER IMPROVED:** A medium tall grower with good foliage. Bright orange-red corolla, creamy-white tube and sepals. An old one but still one of the best.

**LUCIEN BREVAL:** A very large flowered single of great merit. Light pink, almost white, tube and sepals with corolla of tantalizing rose-bengal. The whole flower is overlaid with a bright iridescence found only in exquisite jewels. 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each. (Illustrated on Page 8.)

**MADemoisELLE:** Reiter, Sr. Improved Countess of Aberdeen. The plant is strong and vigorous with blooms coming in continuous profusion on the tips of every branch. The foliage is small on fine, arching canes. The  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch tube is white blotched crimson and the recurved sepals are white tipped green. The  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch corolla is clear pale Rose Bengal. You are sure to want this superb variety in your fuchsia collection. 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**MARINKA:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 8.

**MARIPOSA:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 8.

**MELODY:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 8.

**MEPHISTO:** Reiter, Sr. The flower is identical in size to Mademoiselle, but practically the entire flower is of deepest crimson. A brilliant flower that shows off well on a grand plant. A fine companion for Mademoiselle and a fuchsia that will not be overlooked by fuchsia connoisseurs. The profusion of well placed bloom on this shrub is unbeatable. 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**MINNESOTA:** An old favorite in spite of the fact that it is a tall rangy grower, unless kept in bounds by pruning. The color combination of the flower is very pleasing. The corolla is deep purple shading through carmine to white at the base. The green-tipped white sepals are overlaid with rose.

**MRS. RUNDLE:** A stunning orange flowered variety of medium height. The blossom has a long tube with very long sepals of warm apricot salmon and a beautiful vivid orange corolla. Very popular. The supply never quite meets the demand. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 25c; 4-inch pots, each 35c; 6-inch pots, each 75c.

**MME. AUBIN:** A vigorous grower, drooping habit. Fine, large foliage. Single flowers of orange-pink, tube and sepals a waxy-pink. Very effective when grown on a small trellis or staked up, to show the flowers. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 25c.

**MRS. VICTOR REITER, JR.:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 8.

**OTTO (Heron):** Very large. Corolla of blue purple flushed carmine at the base. Broad scarlet sepals with deep crimson reverse. Considered by many to be the finest of this type.

**OLYMPIA:** A good one. Sepals white, with corolla of true pink. Large, fine foliage. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 25c; 4-inch pots, each 35c.

**PAMELA (E. & R.):** A charming new variety with quite distinct coloring. Fine, large single flowers with petals of lilac edged scarlet, white sepals tipped green, tinted lilac on under side. A vigorous grower with excellent foliage. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c.

**PASTEL:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 8.

**PERKY (Hazard & Hazard):** Sepals waxy white, very sharp pointed tips of deep pink. Corolla single pink. Tall upright growth with small neat foliage, a very excellent shrub. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 25c; 4-inch pots, each 35c.

**PRESIDENT:** Extremely vigorous, tall-growing plant with reddish foliage. Large single flowers of burgundy-red. Particularly valuable as a climber or for tall background planting. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c; 6-inch pots, each 65c.

**PRIDE OF EXETER:** What a show a well grown plant of this is when in bloom! The long broad petals of deep rose suffused lightly with violet, set in a background of perfect long reflexed sepals, of light rose, are simply dazzling. The plant is a tall grower with good dark green foliage. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; plants in 4-inch pots, each 35c.

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**PRODIGAL (Pastel x Aurora Superba)**  
A shrubby smallish leaved variety with flowers similar to those of Thomasina. The single flowers have a Carmine corolla with paler Carmine sepals and tube. A medium grower that continues to bloom in spite of its prodigality.

**Grower's Opinion:** The freest bloomer we have ever seen. The flowers have the form and coloring of Sunset but their profusion gives the effect of bundles of blossoms on the tips of the branches. A good companion for Thomasina. Plants in 4-inch pots, 50c each.

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**OTTO**







PRIDE OF EXETER

**ROBERT BLATRY:** Exquisite giant-flow-ered, semi-double of entrancing beauty. Tube and sepals white with sepals tipped pink. The corolla is a most gorgeous shade of taffeta pink with the same life and iridescence of the finest of silk. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each; 6-inch pots, 65c each.**

**ROSECROFT:** A fine compact grower. Very floriferous. Medium size orchid pink corolla and rosy red sepals.

**ROSE OF CASTLE IMPROVED:** Medium strong upright grower. Small short flowers with deep lavender-blue corolla. Tube and sepals of delicate rose-pink.

**ROSE OF DENMARK:** One of the most beautiful of all the Fuchsia family. Medium size flowers, delicate blush tinted sepals, with corolla of soft rose pink. Stock very limited. **Plants in 3-inch pots, each 25c; 4-inch pots, each 35c; 6-inch pots, each 65c.**

**ROSE PILLAR (Reiter, Jr.):** Here is a tempting variety of exquisite charm, and in our estimation, one of the finest of the new fuchsias, for it introduces an entirely new color. The plant is a vigorous grower with good foliage. The flowers are saucer-shaped with petals of clear neyron-rose edged with a thick margin of geranium lake. Sepals are neyron rose tipped green. **In 3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c; 6-inch pots, each 65c.**

**SCINTILLATION (Hazard & Hazard):** Long reflexed sepals of tyrian rose inside, darker outside. Corolla single to semi-double with edges of petals picotée. A strong grower. **In 3-inch pots, each 25c; 4-inch pots, each 35c.**

**SUNRAY:** Most beautiful foliage imaginable. A striking combination of silvery white, green, orange and yellow. If this plant had no bloom at all it would still be a valuable asset to any plant collection. Medium tall, rather compact grower. The rosy purple and salmon flowers blend well with the foliage.

## SUNRISE

(Mme. Aubin x Aurora Superba)

A shrubby stiffly upright plant with single flowers of a delightfully delicate new coloring. Tube and sepals are White flushed Rose with the sepals tipped Crimson. The single corolla is of the clearest Scarlet. The plant is strong, free blooming and quite sun resistant. Foliage is of medium size, of thick substance and of good color.

**Grower's Opinion:** Among the "white tubed" varieties this represents a finer coloring than any other to date. A good plant. **Plants in 4-inch pots, 50c each.**

**SUNSET (Niederholzer):** This one is the result of a cross between Rollo and Aurora Superba. The plant seems to have the good qualities of both parents. The corolla and sepals are a delightful combination of those scintillating golden-salmon and orange-red shades of a western sunset. **3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.**

**SWANLEY YELLOW:** While not a true yellow, from a short distance the masses of flowers give that impression. This is one of the most popular of all of the Fuchsias. There is little wonder about this, for the plant is a strong sturdy grower, with luxuriant large leaves, and is practically a continuous bloomer. Long tube.

**THE DOCTOR:** Another fine variety, deep pink to deep rose corolla with long pointed petals of soft salmon pink.

**THOMASINA:** A splendid vigorous plant with lush dark green foliage. Medium sized flowers with scarlet colored sepals. Dark, exotic henna-orange petals. **Plants in 3-inch pots, ea. 20c; 4-inch pots, ea. 35c.**

**TRAILING QUEEN:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 8.

**TREASURE ISLAND:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 8.

**WESTWOOD:** A tall growing, slender plant that will climb the side of a trellis or wall to over 10 feet. The long, slender flowers have a white corolla with twisted sepals of light red.

**WHITE BEAUTY:** Open, saucer shaped, corolla. Four single white petals veined scarlet, sepals reflexed.

**WISTERIA:** See hanging basket varieties Page 8.

**YERBA BUENA (Reiter, Jr.):** Another fuchsia of unusual color. A tall upright grower with single frilled flowers. The corolla, which is interestingly convoluted and toothed, ranges from deep tyrian rose on its margin to rose madder at its base. The completely upturned sepals are pale carmine. This striking novelty is sure to be in great demand. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.**

**Fuchsia Prices Unless Otherwise Noted**  
**Plants in 3-inch pots, each.....\$0.15**  
**Larger plants in 4-inch pots, ea. .25**  
**Show plants in 6-inch pots, ea. .50**  
**Specimen plants in 5-gallon containers, each.....\$1.00 to \$1.25**

## Double Flowered Fuchsias

**ABBEY FARGES:** A fitting subject to head the list of the double and semi-double varieties. I am not at all surprised that it receives so many compliments or is so popular. Its tall upright growth is covered for many months with masses of exquisite medium sized flowers. The petals which form the semi-double corolla are a soft silvery lilac surrounded by sepals of iridescent pink. It can not be too highly recommended.

**BERLINER KIND:** A wonderful, compact grower. Very double creamy-white corolla with carmine base, enhanced by deep clear pink sepals. Makes a fine show when used in a basket.

**BLUE DANCING DOLL:** Much like G. Monk, rich blue corolla with red sepals. The plant is a good grower and well worth having.

### BERLINER KIND



**BLUE GOWN:** A very fine blue type, only recently introduced and already very popular. Deep blue corolla, light carmine tube and sepals.

**BLUE MOON:** Without question the finest of all of the Blue Fuchsias. This plant was introduced in 1939 by Mr. Niederholzer of San Francisco. The large double flowers have a real blue corolla, surrounded by bright red sepals. The plant is a good grower and really worth while. Stock limited. **Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; plants in 4-inch pots, each 35c; plants in 6-inch pots, each 60c.**

**BRENTWOOD:** An extremely fine, double, all white fuchsia. The plant is compact, with deep green foliage. At least one Brentwood should be in every fuchsia collection. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; in 4-inch pots, 35c each.**

**CAMELLIA:** A striking, large, double white with spreading petals that are beautifully flushed cerise. Bright crimson sepals.

**CAROLYN:** A comparatively new hybrid with double flowers of soft rosy-lilac and sepals of deep pink. The plant is a rather low grower with good foliage. It is one you will like. **Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; plants in 4-inch pots, each 35c.**

**CRENTINELA:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 7.

### CRESCENDO

(Mme. D'Anjou x Mrs. Victor Reiter)

A shrubby upright fuchsia with medium sized double flowers. The outer 1-3 of the double corolla is Peony Purple while its margins and its lower 2-3 are Turkey Red. The horizontal sepals are also Turkey Red. A healthy medium shrub of good growth and continuous bloom.

**Grower's Opinion:** We believe this to be the most red double fuchsia. Its brilliance is particularly telling in the garden. A good plant arrests the eye.





**BRENTWOOD**

**CHIEF:** Popular from the day it was introduced. The enormous double flowers are a rich, deep violet, with some of the petals flushed cerise. The sepals offer a fine contrast of dark carmine. The plant is compact and stocky, with good foliage. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 22c each; in 4-inch pots, 35c each.**

**DANUBE BLUE:** Is the shining star among the Blue Fuchsias. The flowers offer a color combination that is pleasing to every eye. The deep-pink sepals are a perfect setting for the large, double, blue corolla. Stock very limited. **3-inch pot plants, each 20c; 4-inch pot plants, each 35c.**

**DAINTY LADY:** If ever a flower was well named this is it. It is medium sized, semi-double with a corolla of purest white and tube and sepals deep scarlet.

**DIAMANT:** Here is an old-time favorite. Though it has been planted for years it is still popular. The large plant which we have planted out at the nursery, never fails to receive its share of praise by all the many hundreds of visitors that see it. The large, white, loosely formed corolla is streaked with carmine and the sepals are a rich scarlet.

**DOLLAR PRINCESS:** What a flower producer this is! The dainty rosy-purple and scarlet flowers literally cover the compact bushy plants. This one is a dandy for pot culture or foreground planting, as its maximum height is 2 to 3 feet.

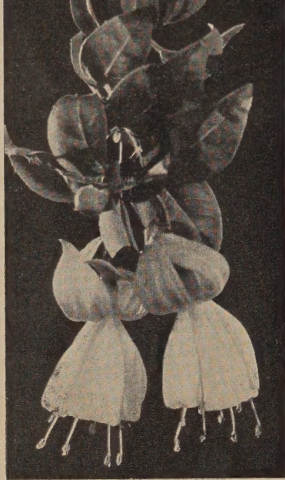
**DR. JOHN GALLWEY:** The flowers of this variety are exceptionally large, with full double corolla of rich, creamy white, veined at the base with rose madder. Broad sepals pointing upward and outward, rose madder in color. The flower stems are long, permitting the blossoms to stand well out from the plant. **Plants 3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c; 6-inch pots, each 65c.**

**ELSA:** Rosy-purple corolla and tube with sepals wax-white flushed rose-pink, a good one in a hanging basket.

**FASCINATION (Irwin's Giant Pink):** A gorgeous variety that attracts much attention. The plant is a medium tall grower, yet compact. The full double corolla is a soft rose streaked with deeper tones, with deep pink sepals. One of my favorites.

**FLACON DE NEIGE:** A flower with real character. Rich green foliage that makes a perfect background for the profusion of gorgeous semi-double blossoms. The petals surrounded by bright scarlet sepals gives the appearance of a rare jewel. **3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c.**

**GENERAL ROBERTS:** See Phenomenal.



**DAINTY LADY**

**GERBERT:** A striking combination of colors this. The outer row of petals are bright scarlet streaked and splashed with purple. The inner rows of petals are a deep purple. The sepals are bright rosy scarlet. The plant is a good strong grower; popular as a novelty.

**G. MONK:** Has all the fine qualities of Dollar Princess. A good compact grower and wonderful bloomer. Corolla is a fine blue with deep pink sepals. We never have too many of these. They always sell.

**HAP HAZARD:** A very fine variety, good grower, medium tall, with excellent foliage. The flowers have deep purple petals, at the bottom of which is a tiny white line; scarlet sepals.

**JULIETTE ADAMS:** The counter-part to Diamant with larger flowers. The petals of this enormous flower are white, streaked and flushed with rose. Sepals of bright scarlet. This variety is liked by all who grow it.

**MADAME DANJOUX:** A gorgeous double white heavily suffused carmine, sepals bright red. **Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; plants in 4-inch pots, each 35c.**

**MADAME LANTALMA:** Very large corolla of many petals. This one is an irresistible shade of orchid-pink set off by sepals of bright crimson.

**MM. CARNOT:** A new importation of great merit. Very large, full, double flowers. Corolla, soft pink streaked with carmine, reflexed sepals of rich glowing pink. We know you will like this one. **Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c.**

**MOLESWORTH:** See hanging basket varieties, Page 8.

**MRS. GLADSTONE:** Probably the best red and white Fuchsia. The plant is a



**FASCINATION**



One they all want! Just as soon as the customers see it in bloom I know I have made a sale. The enormous flowers have rosy mauve petals with deep crimson sepals. We recommend this one to the limit. **Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c. Plants in 4-inch pots, each 35c.**

**GYPSY QUEEN**

medium tall grower with an abundance of good foliage. The flowers are very large and very double. The corolla, white, streaked with crimson, shows up exceedingly well against the bright rosy red sepals.

**PATTY:** A new one that is here to stay. The plant is a vigorous grower, sturdy and upright. The large delicate light pink buds open to gorgeous double flowers of almost white. It is without question the finest almost white fuchsia. **3-inch pots, each 25c; 4-inch pots, each 50c; 6-inch pots, each 75c. (Illustrated on Page 4.)**

**PRIDE OF ORION:** Without question one of the finest white fuchsias. The beautiful flowers are produced on long slender stems and are rather loosely arranged on the plant. The corolla is medium double, being made up of bright, iridescent white petals that are lightly splashed with crimson and scarlet. The reflexed sepals are of brilliant scarlet. **Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; plants in 4-inch pots, each 35c; larger plants in 6-inch pots, each 65c.**

**REITER'S GIANT (Reiter, Sr.):** To the best of our knowledge this is the largest double fuchsia yet introduced. It incorporates most of the desirable characters sought in double purple varieties. Beautiful, very double 3-inch corolla of dark cyclamen purple, with sepals of crimson to carmine. The plant is a very strong, vigorous grower with plenty of bloom. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; in 4-inch pots, 35c each.**

**ROLLO:** A little temperamental to handle at times, but still very popular and well worth trying. Both the corolla and the sepals are white with a light, pearl pink suffusion. Stock is always limited because of the heavy demand. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each; 6-inch pots, 65c each.**

**ROSE PHENOMENAL:** A distinct variety with very large flowers, corolla of violet lavender suffused with rose and veined with crimson, sepals broad deep crimson. A medium dwarf grower with a great deal of light green foliage.

## SUNSHINE COLLECTION

Bright and sparkling as a day in June. We are offering here five of the most satisfactory Fuchsias at a great saving. You will be delighted with this collection.

**AVIATOR**—Beautiful red and white single.  
**GYPSY QUEEN**—Rosy-mauve petals, deep crimson sepals.

**DIAMANT**—Gorgeous red and white double.  
**ROSE OF DENMARK**—Exquisite soft pink corolla and sepals.

**SWANLEY YELLOW**—A delightful salmon-rose year 'round bloomer.

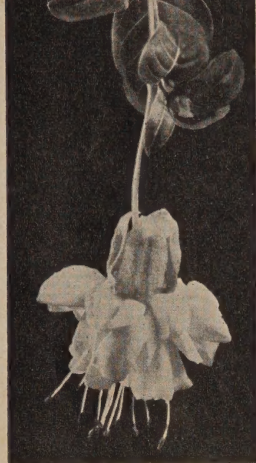
**DOLLAR PRINCESS**—Dainty red and purple double.

Catalog Price \$3.15 in 6-inch pots. **\$2.50**  
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WHITE WONDER



VICTORY

**SANTA MONICA:** Particularly valuable because of its long blooming period. Here, in California, it will bloom right through the fall and even into early winter. The large double flowers of flesh pink are streaked with cerise, and enhanced by bright red sepals. 3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c.

**SUZANNE PASQUIER:** The scintillating beauty of this new variety makes it stand out like a gorgeous jewel in any garden setting. The foliage is rich and lush, which makes a perfect background for the beautiful scarlet and white flowers. 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each; 6-inch pots, 65c each.

**VERA SERGENE:** Another very fine recent introduction. Semi-double white corolla and very light pink sepals. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 35c; 4-inch pots, each 65c.

**STORM KING:** An old favorite, on a par with Phenomenal in popularity. The fine double white and scarlet flowers are of good size and form and are produced for many months in the greatest of profusion. The plant is a good grower, of medium height, and has fine foliage.

**VICTORY**  
(Suzanne Pasquier x San Francisco)  
The flower is long semi-double resembling a very refined Pride of Exeter. The sepals are exceptionally long and recurved and the corolla is of a fine long incurved globular form. The elegant semi-double corolla is of solid Rose Madder and the glistening sepals are Carmine. The large flower appears as a crimson self with an elegance of form and an evenness of color lacking in Pride of Exeter.

**Grower's Opinion:** The first substantial improvement in the Pride of Exeter class. In size and particularly in refinement the flowers are beyond anything else in this color. Our finest 1942 introduction. Plants in 4-inch pots, 50c each.

**WHITE WONDER:** Introduced in 1937, as a mutation of Gypsy Queen, this one is by far the most outstanding of all of the double red and white Fuchsias. The plant is a strong grower with good foliage. The petals of the flowers are the largest and purest white of all of the Fuchsias; and are beautifully set in bright red sepals. 3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c; 6-inch pots, each 65c.

## Hanging Basket Fuchsias

Plants in 3-inch pots ..... \$0.15  
Plants in 4-inch pots ..... .25  
Unless Otherwise Marked

**BALKAN:** What a gorgeous sight a well grown basket or window box of this lovely trailing variety makes! The soft pastel green of the foliage is a perfect background for the medium sized pink flowers. The sepals are light pink with bright corolla. One of the best for basket, window box or wall planting.

### BUTTERFLY

A fine large single self with recurved sepals and spreading corolla. Very similar to Muriel but of improved form and finer more even color. The corolla is Rose Bengal and the sepals and the base of the corolla are Crimson.

The foliage is light green; the habit is trailing. Vigor is medium.

**Grower's Opinion:** Any improvement on Muriel is news. The trailing habit of this seedling, coupled with its beautifully formed large spreading flowers makes this a hanging pot variety worth watching. Plants in 4-inch pots, 50c each.

### GORGEOUS FUCHSIA CASCADE

As the name indicates, it is a trailing, or cascading variety and without question the finest thing of its kind for basket work.

The buds of the flowers are extremely long and a bright watermelon red. These long buds, when open, form the sepals which have a spread from tip to top of five to six inches. The corolla is a beautiful iridescent rosy pink, with maroon stamens and yellow pistil. A never ending cascade of these gorgeous flowers is produced the year round. It is a hardy, vigorous grower and cannot be recommended too highly. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c; 4-inch pots, 35c; larger plants, each .65c to \$1.25.

**CENTINELA (New Hanging Basket):** The name of this popular fuchsia has been changed by request of the Centinela Garden Club of Inglewood. An exquisite semi-double trailer with corolla of light magenta and sepals of deep Neyron rose. The plant is a good grower and well worth a try.

**CLARET CUP:** A very fine hanging-basket variety on the order of Cascade. The corolla is a rich, deep claret, with pinkish, white sepals. If you like basket varieties you will want this one. Plants in 3-in. pots, ea. 20c; 4-in. pots, ea. 35c.

**COVENT GARDEN:** No wonder this charming one is so popular. The plants have the happy faculty of growing both upright and trailing, thereby making a perfect specimen for either basket or gar-

den planting. When used in a basket some of the branches always arrange themselves with just enough droop or off-angle growth to conform to the latest and approved methods of flower arrangement. They have long single flowers, waxy white sepals with rich rose petals forming the corolla.

**FALLING STARS (Reiter, Sr.):** The foliage is good and the growth is quite weeping, requiring careful staking if grown upright. Very free blooming and a strong grower. The translucent scarlet sepals with iridescent Turkey red corolla resembles a shower of falling stars. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c.

**FIREFALL (Victor Reiter, Jr.):** One of the truly great trailing fuchsias. All who have seen the spectacular firefall in Yosemite are immediately reminded of the thrilling scene when they see a specimen of this gorgeous plant in full bloom. Its long tube and sepals are fiery carmine with petals of fuchsia red further enhanced by rich bronzy red foliage. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 20c; 4-inch pots, each 35c; 6-inch pots, each 65c.

**HALLOWE'EN:** Dr. Legan. Similar in growth to Cascade. Very large flowers with corolla light plum, sepals white flushed pink. Considered one of the best. 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.





Two-year-old plant of Fuchsia Molesworth grown in hanging basket for arbor or summer house decoration. This variety thrives equally well when hung under a spreading tree or standing on a partially shaded patio wall.

**HENRI POINCARE:** To my mind one of the most beautiful fuchsias grown. The long violet-blue corolla forms a perfect bell, which is handsomely set off by pointed red sepals. Stock very limited. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each. (See page 7.)

**HUGH EVANS (Evans & Reeves):** A single trailing variety much like our old friend Marinka. Both petals and sepals are longer, which enhances the grace and beauty of the whole plant. The tube and sepals are a true crimson with corolla of peony-purple tinged red. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; in 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**MARINKA:** Semi-trailer of exquisite beauty. The sepals and petals of the large single flowers are a rich oriental red. The plant is a good grower and heavy bloomer.

**MARIPOSA (Mme. Aubin x "Ballet Girl"):** A trailer with very long thin flowers. The 2½-inch flower has a long tube and recurved sepals of satiny Scarlet fusing to Geranium Lake at the base of the sepals. The corolla is dark Carmine, changing to Geranium Lake as it joins the sepals. The branches are long and drooping and the flowers are borne in pendulous profusion.

**Grower's Opinion:** This hanging variety may be compared to a heavier growing Balkan with greatly enlarged flowers and intensified warmth and brilliance of bloom. Its hanging qualities, coupled with its luminosity and freedom of bloom, made it the choice from among fifty sister seedlings. Elegant. 4-inch pots, each 50c.

**MELODY (Patty Evans x Mrs. Victor Reiter):** This is a perfectly shaped single of good size in the much desired pastel shades. Although the flower is larger and more perfect, it resembles Cascade in form but its coloring fits closely into the Treasure Island-Pastel group. The corolla is pale Cyclamen Purple and the recurved sepals are pale Neyron Rose. The habit is strong self branching, with fine bright green foliage. An especially good doer. Plants in 4-inch pots, 50c each.

**MRS. VICTOR REITER, JR.:** A brilliant addition to the hanging basket varieties. The flowers are long tubed bicolors of the Mrs. Rundle type, but larger and brighter. The tube and sepals are creamy white occasionally tinted pale pink. The petals are

beautiful combinations of crimson and tyrian rose. The plant is a good grower, with excellent foliage. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; in 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**MOLESWORTH:** This is one of the finest varieties for hanging baskets or low foreground plantings. The many trailing branches are covered for months with a gorgeous array of beautiful very double, red and white flowers. The corolla is white, the sepals clear red.

**MURIEL:** A wonderful basket variety. Outstanding large flowers of cyclamen purple with crimson sepals. This variety cannot be too highly recommended.

**PASTEL:** Similar to Treasure Island in color, with greatly improved growing habits. Short tube and large broad sepals of Neyron rose with the single corolla of old rose shaded lilac. Strong grower. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**SAN FRANCISCO (Reiter, Jr.):** A weeping variety of extreme beauty and appeal. It has all the good qualities of its parents, Robert Blatry and Mrs. Victor Reiter. The sepals are large, long and luxuriant looking. Their color is pale carmine rose on the outside. The large single corolla is pure Geranium Lake. An interesting feature of the tube is that it is more squarish than round. If you like basket varieties you are sure to want this one. Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each; 6-inch pots, 65c.

**TRAILING QUEEN:** Very fine for hanging basket or window box. Clear red corolla, long pointed bright scarlet sepals. Makes a grand show for many months.



#### MELODY

**TREASURE ISLAND (Victor Reiter):** Sepals of this beauty are a satiny Neyron rose with tips of pale green. The corolla shades from Neyron rose at the base to fuchsia pink of the palest hue veined in a deeper shade. A very vigorous grower. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; in 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**WISTERIA (Niederholzer):** This has been a sensation wherever shown. The name is fitting for the color of the bloom and much more so for the habit of growth. It is unique, literally growing like a wisteria climber. Ideal for pergola or for basket. The leathery inside of the sepals is tinged phlox-pink. Outside of sepals is almost white. The single corolla is mallow purple, and oddly irregular in shape. Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each; 6-inch pots, 65c each.

#### HANGING BASKET FUCHSIA CASCADE







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# Orchids

You are overlooking a good bet if you are not growing some of the beautiful Easy-To-Grow outdoor Orchids. Many people have for years been growing these most enchanting of all flowers in their gardens, with no more care than is given to the average rose bush.

## CYMBIDUMS

Take, for example, the gorgeous Cymbidiums. They are perfectly happy with their roots in a soil mixture of equal parts of decomposed granite or coarse gravel, sandy loam, peat and leafmold. They may be grown in pots or in the open ground in raised beds.

Place them in any partially shaded area of the garden where there is good circulation of air. They will stand temperatures as low as 18, and once established are permanent.

The flowers are produced on spikes, 20 to 40 flowers to a spike. The color range includes many tempting shades of yellow, orange, green, pink, apricot and red. Flowering season November to April.

Plants range in price from \$3.50 to \$25.00, according to size and variety.

## LAELIAS

Derivation of the name is uncertain, but supposed to be that of a vestal virgin, because of the delicate beauty of the flowers.

Included in the genus we find some 30 species native to the coastal states of Mexico, Guatemala and southern Brazil.

**LAELIA ANCEPS**, and **AUTUMNALIS**, are the species most generally grown in California gardens. Where temperatures do not go below 20 degrees they may be left out of doors all year.

The most popular colors are shades of lavender and pink. The flowering season is from November to February.

While it is true that Laelias may be grown in pots, they are much happier and are more effective when grown in old logs, or in wooden or wire baskets. The most popular material for the roots to grow in is a combination of 60 per cent Osmundine Orchid fiber, and 40 per cent Oregon green moss.

Hang the Laelia baskets in a cool greenhouse, in a shady lathhouse, or under a tree where there is a good circulation of air. Water well during the growing season, February to September. After that an occasional watering, say once every ten days to two weeks. This will aid in setting a good crop of bloom spikes. Withhold all water while the plant is in flower, as this will prolong the life of the flowers.

Prices for Laelias range from \$2.50 to \$25.00, according to the size of the plant.

## OTHER ORCHIDS

In addition to the aforementioned orchids, we have a fine stock of Cypripediums "Lady Slippers" and Odontoglossums "Butterfly or Spray Orchids," all priced amazingly low.

Last, but not least, in the Orchid family, are the Epidendrums and Bletias. The last two may be grown right out in the open ground, with no more care than the average garden shrub. Priced from 35c up.



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# BAAKE'S FINE



CHANDLERI ELEGANS

The irresistible charm and beauty of the flowers of the Camellia has won them a high place in the hearts of all.

However, because of their almost ethereal beauty, many people have been a little timid about trying their hand at them. Or perhaps you may have tried to grow Camellias without finding out just a little about their likes and dislikes. Stop being afraid of them. Follow the few simple rules outlined below and you'll find them as easy to grow as sunflowers.

They may be grown in containers or out in the open ground. Select a partially shaded area, and if the soil is heavy, provide drainage for your plants by placing a generous supply of coarse gravel in the bottom of the hole before planting.

While they will grow in any good reasonably light soil, they will do much better if planted in a mixture of one-fourth each of the following: imported peat, leaf mold, topsoil, sandy loam.

Feed your plants regularly every 60 days with Bandini Camellia food, Long's Camellia food, or any good plant food suitable for acid loving plants.

Keep your plants on the acid side with occasional treatment of Aluminum Sulphate or soil sulphur, as they do best in a soil where the Ph is around 5.5 to 6.5. Do not feed until 3 weeks after applying acid treatment.

Keep your plants well watered at all times, but do not give them so much water that the soil becomes soggy. Above all, do not fuss over your Camellias, give them reasonable care, but do not kill them with kindness.

**ALBA PLENA:** Beautiful, animated double white flowers of perfect form that do not show the stamens even when full open. The plant is a good grower and very free flowering. It is one of the most sought after camellias of the day, and rightly so. Blooms January to March. Plants in 1-gallon containers, 10 to 12-inches tall, \$1.50 each.

**ALBA SUPERBA:** Immense semi-double, pure white flowers, with large petals and yellow stamens showing through the petals at the center. This variety is also sold under the name of JOHN G. DRAYTON. 4-inch pots, 65c each.

**AMABILIS:** A fine tall grower with good foliage. Exquisite single white flowers, showing rich golden yellow anthers. Flowers January to April. 1-gal. containers, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

**ANNA ZUCHINI:** Exquisite double white that is sure to be used extensively when better known. Flowers January to March. Specimen plants in 5-gallon containers, \$4.00 and \$5.00 each.

**APPLE BLOSSOM:** From December to February this compact plant is covered with bright, opalescent-pink trumpet-shaped blossoms. Plants in 1-gallon containers, \$1.25 each; plants in 4-inch pots, 75c each.

**AURORA BOREALIS:** Semi-double, sheer white with red dots. A very striking flower. Commences to bloom in January. 1-gallon container, \$1.00 each.

**BELLA ROMANA:** The large, full, double flowers are 4 inches in diameter. Their color is rose pink, overlaid with pencil markings of deeper rose. A rare and very choice variety. Plants in 4-inch pots, 75c each; larger plants in 5-gallon containers, 24 to 33 inches, \$3.50 to \$4 each; specimen plants from \$6 to \$10 each.

**BRIAR ROSE:** A single sasanqua of soft, clear pink resembling a wild rose. The foliage is small, dark green, and the plant has a trailing habit of growth. Flowers October to January. 1-gallon containers, \$1 each; plants in 5-gallon containers, \$3.50 to \$5 each.

**CHANDLERI ELEGANS:** A beautiful peony-flowered type of soft rose. The center is a tightly curled ball of overlapped petaloids, edged with a broad double frill of larger petals. The flowers average 6 to 7 inches across. The plant is a superb grower with handsome dark green foliage. Flowers in December to March. Plants in 4-inch pots, 75c each; 1-gallon containers, \$1.50 to \$2.00 each; 5-gallon containers, 24 to 30 inches, \$5.00 each; larger specimen plants, \$7.00 to \$10.00 each.

**CHEERFUL:** A clear, bright cherry red. The flowers are only medium size, but this is compensated for by the great profusion of bloom. The plant is a good sturdy grower with showy dark green foliage. Plants in 1-gallon containers, 75c each; larger plants in 5-gallon containers, \$4.50 each.

**CHIFFON:** The name gives one a hint of the clear, transparent texture of this lovely semi-double flower. Clear pink, without shadings or markings of any sort. Flowers January to March. A vigorous grower and a good bloomer. 1-gallon container, \$1 each.

C. M. HOVEY: (See Julia Drayton.)

**COLONEL FIREY:** Here is, without question, one of the finest, if not the finest, of all the Camellias. The double flowers are a rich, glowing crimson of perfect form, 5 to 6 inches across. The plant is an easy grower, though somewhat dwarf. Stock very limited. 1-gallon containers, small, \$1.50 each; large, \$3.75 each; specimen plants in 5-gallon containers, \$7.00 to \$10.00 each.

**COVINA:** An informal double rose-red of bright and lasting color. Blooms freely and makes a fine compact plant. 4-inch pots, 50c each; 1-gallon containers, 85c each; 5-gallon containers, \$3.50 each.

**DAI KAGURA:** A large, full-double Camellia with smaller center petals often twisted and curled. Bright rose-red flowers splotted with white. The plant has strikingly beautiful foliage, is a good grower, and blooms very early in the fall. Flowers October to March. 1-gallon containers, \$1.75 to \$2.00 each; 5-gallon containers, \$5.00 each.

**DONKELAERI:** A rare and splendid large petalled double. Deep cherry-red marbled with pure white. The stamens stand erect and open at the center to show a mass of deep gold anthers. Intense, unfading color. The plant is compact and shapely. Blooms January to March. Stock limited. 1-gallon containers, \$1.75 each.

**ECSTASY:** Medium large, very double flower of exquisite pink. The plant has good foliage and grows well. 4-inch pots, 55c each; 5-inch pots, 65c each.

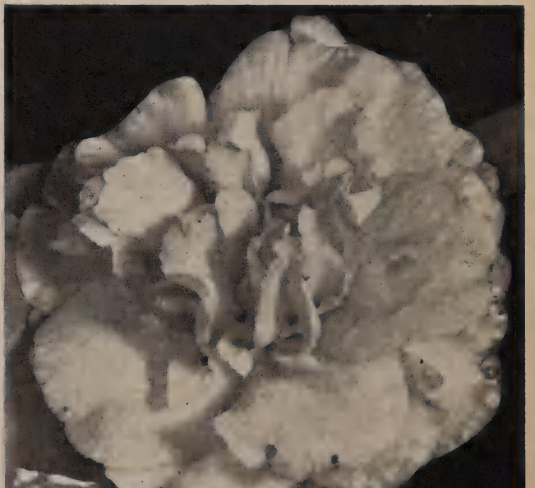
**ELIA DRAYTON:** Large, double red flowers. Strong grower. Very popular because of its quantities of flowers and long blooming season. 4-inch pots, 60c each.

**FANNY BOLIS:** A large, semi-double, admired by all Camellia growers. The flowers are a soft rose-red, blotched with white. Inner petals are smaller and curled about the showy mass of golden anthered stamens. A large bushy grower. Blooms January-March. Plants in 4-inch pots, 75c each; 1-gallon containers, \$1.25 each; large plants in 5-gallon containers, \$5.00 to \$7.00 each.

**FRANCINE:** A huge, clear rose-pink of the peony type. Similar to Chandleri Elegans in flower and foliage, but has no variegation. Plants in 4-inch pots, 85c each; in 1-gallon containers, \$2.00 each; larger plants in 5-gallon containers, \$5.00 to \$7.00 each.

HERMI: (See Hikara Gengi.)

DAI KAGURA





# CAMELLIAS

**HIKARI GENGI:** This is often referred to as the fragrant Camellia. The large, double, fluffy flowers are a light pink, margined white and streaked with a deep pink. Bright golden yellow stamens show when the flower is fully open. A strong grower and profuse bloomer. 4-inch pots, 60c each; 1-gallon container, \$1.25 each; 5-gallon container, \$4.00 to \$5.00 each.

**IMPERATOR:** Bright red peony-type. 4-inch flowers with high center. Specimen plants, \$8.00 each.

**JOHN G. DRAYTON:** (See Alta Superba.)

**JOHN LANG:** The flowers are much like Pink Perfection in size and shape. The color is a soft, rosy salmon-pink. This is a very desirable variety, and each year sees its popularity increasing. The plant has good foliage and is a tall, upright grower. 4-inch pots, 50c each; 1-gallon containers, \$1.00 to \$1.50 each; 5-gallon containers and tubs, \$3.50 to \$6.00 each. Jan. to March.

**JORDAN'S PRIDE:** (See Hikari Gengi.)

**JULIA DRAYTON (C. M. Hovey):** A glorious giant double of exquisite charm. The brilliant flowers are the largest of all the red Camellias, frequently attaining a size of 6 to 7 inches in diameter. It is without question the most spectacular and showy of all. The plant is a strong thrifty grower with large foliage. Plants in 1-gallon container, 10 to 12 inches tall, \$1.75 each. Flowers December-March.

**KUMASAKA:** Large, loose double flowers of glowing pink. The center petals are curled and twisted, revealing the bright golden stamens. An erect, vigorous grower and heavy bloomer. 4-inch pots, 60c each; 1-gallon containers, \$2.00 each; 5-gallon containers, \$4.00 to \$10.00 each. Blooms January to March.

**LADY CAMPBELL:** (See Covina.)

**LADY DE SAUMEREZ:** A tempting, semi-double of deep ruby-red with prominent yellow stamens and anthers. A sweepstakes winner at Portland Garden Club Flower Show in 1933. Plants in 4-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

**LOUISIANA RED:** Excellent deep red, with fine dark green foliage. Large specimen plants, \$6.00 each.

**MARCHIONESS OF EXETER:** A glowing lustrous pink of exquisite beauty. Large, graceful flowers of perfect form. The plant has a low, spreading habit of growth with excellent foliage. Plants in 4-inch pots, \$1.00 each; 1-gallon container, \$2.25.

**MIKENJAKU:** Large, deep rose flowers, occasionally splashed with white. Beautiful golden stamens and anthers. A popular but scarce variety. Plants in 4-inch pots, 75c each.

**C. M. HOVEY:** (See Julia Drayton.)

**MME. LE BOISE:** Exquisite formal flowers of rich, dark red. A worthwhile addition to any Camellia collection. 5-gallon containers, \$5.50 each.

**MME. FAUCILLON:** A fine, very double 3½-inch flower of light rose pink. Plants in 5-gallon containers, \$6.50 each.

**MRS. SHAWHAM:** Flowers of medium size, deep rose in color. A good double formal type. 1-gallon containers, \$1.00 each.

**MRS. FRED SAUNDERS:** A choice semi-double, with pure white 4-inch flower. A strong upright grower. 1-gallon containers, \$1.25 each; 5-gallon containers, \$3.50 up.

**MONJISU VARIEGATED:** (See Donkelaeri.)

**NOBLISSIMA:** A pure white, with tightly curled peony center, edged with a double row of broader petals. The flowers are of medium size, the plant a tall, upright grower and free bloomer. Flowers November to March. 1-gallon containers, \$1.00 each; 5-gallon containers, \$7.00; in tubs, \$10.00 each.

**NORMANDIE:** Beautiful semi-formal double of soft rose-pink profusely penciled with deeper rose. A free bloomer, good grow-

## PINK PERFECTION



## PURITY

er, and has excellent foliage. 5-gallon container, \$4.50 to \$5.00 each. Blooms January to March.

**PINK PERFECTION:** This old favorite still outsells all the other varieties. The very double flowers are an exquisite shade of soft pink. The plant is a fine grower and blooms freely from October to March. 4-inch pots, 50c each; 1-gallon containers, 75c to \$1.50 each; 5-gallon containers, \$3.00 to \$6.00 each; tubs, \$7.50 to \$10.00 each.

**PANACHE:** A fine late bloomer, medium sized flowers of blended pink and ivory white. Plants in 4-inch pots, 50c each.

**PRINCESS BACCIOCHI:** This plant is a bushy, compact subject, with deep green foliage. The flowers are a modified peony type of startling beauty, being rich, velvety carmine red in color. Bright yellow stamens complete the picture. Plants in 4-inch pots, 65c each; in 5-gallon containers, \$5.50 to \$7.50 each.

**PROFESSOR SARGENT:** This new and rare variety is here to stay. The full peony flower is a rich red ball of uncurved petaloides, edged by a frill of broader petals. The plant is free flowering and a strong grower. Blooms from January to March. Plants in 1-gallon containers, \$1.50 each; in 5-gallon containers, \$3.50 to \$5.00 each.

**PURITY:** At present the most popular of all the whites. Exquisitely formed, symmetrical double, snow white flowers of large size. A tall upright grower. Plants in 4-inch pots, 65c each; in 1-gallon containers, \$1.25 each; in 5-gallon containers, \$3.50 to \$6.00 each.

**RAINY SUN:** An immense loose petaled semi-double. Deep rose-red in color. One of the heaviest and most colorful bloomers in the garden. Blooms Dec. to Feb. Plants in 1-gal. containers, \$1.

**REINE DES FLEUR:** Very large, double flowers of rich vermilion red, flaked white. Good growth and a free bloomer. Blooms January to March. Plants in 4-inch pots, 50c each; specimen plants in tubs, \$7.00 each.

**ROSE QUEEN:** A fine rose-red formal, of good form and foliage. Its popularity is increasing every year. Blooms January to March. 1-gallon containers, \$1.00 each; 5-gallon containers, \$6.00.

**ROSITA:** Very double, medium size flowers of bright rose-pink. The petals are delicately veined. The plant is a fast grower and very late bloomer, February to April. 1-gallon containers, 75c each; 5-gallon, \$3.50 to \$5.00 each.

**ROUGE:** A large symmetrical very double flower, light rose in the center, deepening to cerise-red on the outer petals. Plants in 5-gallon containers, \$6.00 to \$7.00 each.

**SARAH FROST:** A beautiful double red of good form. Good grower and heavy bloomer. 5-gallon container, \$3.50 to \$5.00 each.

**SEMI-DOUBLE BLUSH:** Magnolia type flowers with whitish petals suffused with a faint glow of apricot. Prominent yellow stamens. This is a gorgeous variety and should be in every Camellia collection. Plants in 6-inch pots, 75c each.

**SNOW MAIDEN:** A vigorous upright grower, bearing quantities of small, quaint flowers with incurved petal edges. Excellent for table decoration and corsages. 1-gallon container, \$1.00 each. Blooms from January to March.

**VALVAREDA:** The flowers are cup-shaped and perfectly symmetrical, with pale pink center petals shading to a deeper rose on the outer petals. A strong grower, well shaped, with exquisite foliage. 5-gallon container and tub plants, \$3.50 to \$6.00 each.

**WAKANOURA:** Variegated large single to semi-double flowers, striped irregularly with deep pink on a white background. Prominent golden stamens. 1-gallon container, \$1.25 each.

**WHITE DOVES:** An extremely beautiful variety of the Sasanqua type, with delicate pure white flowers. Excellent as a wall or ground cover. 1-gallon containers, \$1.50 each.



# Baake's Everblooming CARNATIONS

Carnations are one of the most beautiful and useful flowers you can grow in your garden. Their bright colors, spicy fragrance and long flowering period have won for them a place in the hearts of all garden lovers. As the result of careful cross-breeding many new shades have been added to the color range.

**CULTURE:** Carnations will grow in any good, well-drained light soil. Should your soil be of the adobe clay type, remove this to a depth of 8 to 10 inches and fill in with light sandy loam. Another popular way to handle them is to raise the beds 6 or 8 inches and fill with good sandy loam to which a generous helping of leafmold and well rotted cow manure has been added.

## 13 GLORIOUS NOVELTIES Your Choice of Any 12 for \$3.00

**BARBARA BRIGHAM:** A gorgeous subject with flowers of beautiful apricot, overlaid with pink penciling. The plant is a good grower and produces quantities of perfect flowers which keep well. **In 3-inch pots, 25c each.**

**DAIRY MAID:** Not a new one but still considered in the novelty class. Fine fragrant white flowers with pink markings. This one should be in every garden. **3-inch pots, 25c each.**

**DISCOVERY:** An exquisite, perfect maroon flower with light pink tips. Makes a good show in the garden and cuts well. **3-inch pots, 35c each.**

**GOLDEN WONDER:** One of the best of the yellow variegated varieties. The color is sulphur yellow with pink penciling. The blooms are large and full with fringed petals. A prolific bloomer that keeps well. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each.**

**IMPROVED DELICACY:** A beautiful white with dark red penciling, excellent form on medium stems. Very little splitting occurs. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each.**

**KEY:** A fine pink with red markings. Immediately liked by all who see it. **In 3-inch pots, 35c each.**

**LA FIESTA:** Here is a real white and well named, for the flowers are as bright as a Mexican fiesta. Perfect petals of tempting orchid, with claret trimmings. **3-inch pots, 35c each.**

**LAURA:** A dazzling flower of yellow, with white, pink and yellow flecks. **In 3-inch pots, 25c each.**

**LULU:** A beautiful shade of orchid seldom found in carnations. **In 3-inch pots, 40c each.**

**PELARGONIUM:** One of the most charming of the English varieties. White background overlaid on each petal with crimson maroon. Creates a perfect Pelargonium appearance. The bloom is large and of good substance. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each.**

**PHAROAH:** This is one of the most beautiful novelty carnations of all time. The petals are a delicate shade of orange with slightly pink tinting. The tips of each petal are fringed with red. The blooms are very large and full, and are produced in good numbers on strong, bushy, easy-to-grow plants. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each.**

**POTENTATE:** A deep crimson-purple variety that is widely grown and very popular. The flowers are large on good stiff stems. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each.**

**VENTURA GOLD:** Fine compact plants covered in the spring of the year with alluring medium sized flowers of pure orange. We have been growing this variety for years and have never been able to produce enough to meet the demand. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each.**

## Red Carnations

**SPECTRUM SUPREME:** This old-time favorite is still one of the most widely grown of the scarlet carnations. It is a heavy producer of good sized bloom, and a splendid keeper. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each.**

**TEDDY ROOSEVELT:** Another old-time favorite of great merit. Each plant produces a never ending display of excellent crimson flowers. If you do not have this one, by all means add it to your collection. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each.**

**RIGOLETTO:** Developed by the Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C. Fine flowers of dark red on good stiff stems. The plant is a rapid grower. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each.**

**WOBURN:** Everyone likes this excellent deep crimson variety. Every flower is of top quality. Good size of bloom with no splitting of the calyces. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each.**

## Light Pink Carnations

**ELEANOR:** A fine light salmon-pink with symmetrical blooms of medium size, having high, full centers. Stems long, flower production is very good with little or no splitting of the calyx. Plants very large and bushy. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each.**



PHAROAH

**MAYTIME:** Exquisite shell pink flowers, beautifully formed and of good size. The stems are long and stiff. Extremely good keeper. The plant is a fine grower and good producer. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each.**

**VIRGINIA:** This is the favorite light pink with many carnation enthusiasts. Medium sized flowers, with frilled petals. Stiff straight stems of medium length. The production is better than average, and they are famed for their keeping qualities. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each.**

## Pink and Dark Pink Carnations

**CARLOTTA:** Shapely, average sized flowers of glowing, dark pink, on stiff stems. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each.**

**DIRIGO:** A new deep pink seedling introduced last year for the first time. The plants are large and bushy, with long, stiff stems and firm calyces. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each.**

**PETER FISHER:** An outstanding variety in the medium, or rose-pink class. The flowers are of medium size and good substance. An easy grower and very popular. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each.**

**NEW DEAL WARD:** A selected and improved Boston Ward. The color is a beautiful shade of deep pink, and the plants are strong growers and good producers. **In 3-inch pots, 20c each.**

## Yellow

**MAINE SUNSHINE:** This is an old variety, but still the only clear yellow carnation for all-around use. The stems are long, the production is high, and the flowers are good keepers. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each.**

**MOONBEAM:** Introduced by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The flowers are good sized and clear yellow in color. The plants are easy to grow and are very heavy producers. This is a new one that is sure to stay. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each.**

## White

**PATRICIAN:** This variety has been on the market a long time, but is still a great favorite. Large bushy plants, producing great quantities of excellent white flowers. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c ea.**

**PURITY:** A very fine English variety of pure white with a delightful spicy fragrance. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each.**

**SNOW WHITE:** A little disbudging on this pure white variety and you will have flowers 4-inches in diameter. It has a delicious fragrance, good keeping qualities and stiff stems. A wonderful addition to the white Carnation family. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each.**



# Colorful Vines Will Add Charm to Your Garden

## Four Good Trumpet Vines

**BIGNONIA CHERERE (Red Trumpet Vine):** The most popular of all the trumpets. It is a rapid grower that will climb over anything. Dark green foliage with clusters of red and yellow tubular flowers. This one is almost a year 'round bloomer. Plant in full sun. 20". Gallon containers, 50c each; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75 to \$2.50 each.

**BIGNONIA VIOLACEA (Violet Trumpet Vine):** The exquisite large glossy foliage makes a fine background for the soft lavender flowers. This vine is a late winter and spring bloomer. It thrives in sun or partial shade. 18". 1-gallon containers, 60c each; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75.

**BIGNONIA VENUSTA (Pyrostegia ignea) "Flame-Vine":** This vine is not a true bignonia but is sold as such. It is a magnificent vine that has no equal for color. In the warmer sections of California this vine is a mass of flaming orange-scarlet flowers all through the winter. Plant in full sun. 24". 1-gallon containers, 60c each; 5-gallon containers, \$2.00 each.

**BEAUMONTIA GRANDIFLORA (Easter Lily Vine):** Here is a really beautiful white flowered one; trumpets 6 inches long and almost as wide. The flowers are extremely fragrant and are produced almost the year around. The foliage is large, dark green and tropical. Plant in warm sunny place. 28". Gallon containers, 75c each.

## Two Brilliant Bougainvilleas

**BOUGAINVILLEA BRAZILIENSIS:** Considered by many to be the most handsome of the bougainvilleas. It has handsome bright leaves and large reddish-purple flowers. It is easy to grow but must have full sun. 20". Gallon containers, 40c each; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75 to \$2.50 each.

**BOUGAINVILLEA CRIMSON LAKE:** This one is the most popular of all because of its masses of brilliant crimson flowers. It is a little more tender than the Braziliensis variety but just as easy to grow. Full sun. 25". Gallon containers, 40c each; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75 to \$2.50 each.

**DISTICTIS CINEREA:** The beautiful trumpet shaped flowers of lavender and purple are vanilla scented. This vine blooms 6 to 8 months out of the year and stands temperatures down to 22". It blooms best in full sun and near the coast. Gallon containers, 65c; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75.

**FICUS REPENS (Creeping Fig):** The best small leaved evergreen vine for covering stone walls, brick or wood surfaces. It thrives anywhere in California. Sun or partial shade. Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each; plants in 1-gallon containers, 35c each.

**CAROLINA JESSAMINE (Gelsemium Sempervirens):** A good slender twining vine of medium fast growth, where a delicate lacy effect is desired. It produces great masses of fragrant yellow bell shaped flowers in late winter and early spring. Evergreen and very hardy. Will stand temperatures as low as 12". Sun or partial shade. Gallon containers, 50c each; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75 to \$2.50.

**HIBBERTIA (Culnea Flower):** Heavy thick green leaves and flat 5-petaled golden yellow flowers about 2 inches across. We believe this to be the best all around yellow climber. Best results are obtained in full sun although it blooms well with half day shade. 22". Gallon containers, 65c each; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75.

## NEW GIANT FLOWERED HONEY SUCKLE

**LONICERA HILDEBRANDIANA (Burmese Honeysuckle):** The finest of all honeysuckles. It has large glossy green foliage and fragrant 4-inch flowers. It is a fast grower, happy in the valleys and along the coast. Gallon containers, 65c each; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75 to \$2.50.

## The Jasmines

**JASMINUM GRACILLIMUM (Pinwheel Jasmine):** Extremely fragrant white flowers one-inch across, shaped like a pinwheel. Blooms all summer. Hardy from the coast to the desert. Shade or sun. 15". Gallon containers, 65c; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75.

**JASMINUM GRANDIFLORA (Spanish Jasmine):** A splendid strong grower resistant to heat and cold. Large pure white blooms from which the jasmine perfume is made. Gallon containers, 50c; 5-gallon containers, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**JASMINUM PRIMULINUM (Primrose Jasmine):** A good winter flowering variety. Slightly fragrant yellow blossoms 2 inches across. Sun or partial shade. Zero. Gallon containers, 40c; 5-gallon containers, \$1.50.

**RHYNCHOSPHERNUM JASMINODES (Star Jasmine):** A beauty from the Malay Peninsula with handsome shiny dark green leaves and tiny white flowers. The fragrance of this beauty is sweet and irresistible. Hardy almost anywhere in California. Sun or shade, near the coast and shade in the valleys. Gallon containers, 60c; 5-gallon containers, \$1.75 to \$2.50.

**SOLANDRA GUTTATA (Cup of Gold):** A tall vigorous grower with large leaves and immense yellow flowers larger than the average tea cup. Plant in full sun. 28". Gallon containers, 50c; 5-gallon containers, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

**THUNBERGIA GRANDIFLORA (Blue Sky Flower):** An extremely fast grower with beautiful heart shaped leaves and large handsome sky blue flowers. Blooms in fall, winter and spring. 22". Gallon containers, 75c; 5-gallon containers, \$2.00.

**THUNBERGIA GIBSONI:** Beautiful flowers of purest golden orange cover this vine the year around. It will climb over anything. This is the most popular vine we have at the nursery. Plant in full sun. 25". Gallon containers, 40c; 5-gallon containers \$2.00.

# Four Good Plants for the Shade

## Impatiens (Zanzibar Balsam)

To the already large family of bright flowered impatiens, another worthy member is added. It is a dwarf compact grower with good foliage and myriads of pure white flowers about the size of a fifty-cent piece.

Flowering size plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each; larger plants in 4-inch pots, 25c and 35c each.

## Coleus

The bright multi-colored foliage of this gay family are a source of great joy and beauty to all who grow them. The plants I offer are all grown from cuttings, and have much brighter and finer colors and markings than those grown from seed. These interesting subjects make good house or patio plants, as well as being useful in the garden.

Sturdy plants in 2½-inch pots, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

Larger plants in 4-inch pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

Specimen plants in larger pots for immediate decorative effect, 50c to \$1.25 each.

## Azaleas

This year be sure to plant some of the new azaleas. The tremendous size and gorgeous colors of the individual flowers will surprise you. They are easy to grow and are sure to be a never-ending source of beauty to your garden, and pleasure to yourself. Prices range from 50c to \$5.00 each.

## Schizocentron Elegans

(Spanish Shawl Plant)

Here is a real beauty for basket or rock work. It is a low creeper about 2 inches tall, bearing rosy purple flowers against bronze green foliage.

Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each.

Plants in 4-inch pots, 25c and 35c each.

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# 10 Plants Especially Well Adapted for Use in Hanging Baskets, Pots and Window Boxes

Every year I find it necessary to grow more and more of this type of material to meet the ever increasing demand.

### 1. BROWALLIA Speciosa Major

It is with greatest of pleasure that I call your attention to this wonderful plant. Early in spring the small plants commence to flower, and there is a continuous display of ultra-marine-blue flowers until late autumn. The general effect of a well grown basket of this variety, is that of a shower of sparkling stars.

Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each. Larger plants in 4-inch pots, 25c each.

### 2. BEGONIAS

Many varieties of begonias are more lovely than ever when used in baskets or window boxes. See "Fibrous Begonias" for complete descriptions. See pages 24 and 25.

### 3. COMPANULA MURALIS

One of the most showy of the Campanula family, covered with deep blue flowers during May, June and July. Last year while our one basket of this lovely plant was in flower, we sold over 500 smaller plants. It is easy to grow and cannot be recommended too highly for hanging baskets, window boxes or rock gardens. Plant in any good soil and protect from the hot noon day sun. Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each; larger plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each.

### 4. CAMPANULA ISOPHYLLA

These plants make our most popular white hanging baskets. The first blooms appear early in summer, and thereafter for weeks there is an endless show of pure white, bell-shaped flowers about the size of a twenty-five cent piece.

Flowering size plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; larger plants in 4 and 5-inch pots, 35c to 50c each.

### 5. FERNS (Polypodium Knightii)

One of the finest, and most rare of ferns for hanging baskets. The fronds are long and graceful being equally as exquisite as a beautiful Ostrich plume. One of the most interesting features of the fern is that the fronds will be produced from the sides and bottom of the basket as well as out of the top, thus adding greatly to the beauty of the subject. Prices start at 40c each. See page 19.

### 6. LOBELIA

The trailing varieties of lobelia are invaluable for basket and window box work. There are two popular colors, white and blue. Plants in 2½-inch pots, 10c each; larger plants in 3-inch pots, \$1.25 per doz.

### 7. LOTUS (Bertholetii)

Very attractive, soft gray-green, fern-like foliage with bright scarlet, exotic looking flowers. This plant is decidedly procumbent, and will trail over the side of your basket greatly enhancing its beauty. 10c each and up.

### 8. IVY (Hedera)

**Ivy Hahn's Dwarf:** Here is the finest of ivies for pot or basket culture. It is a small leaved much branching type that stays bushy.

Small plants in 2½-inch pots, 15c each; larger plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each.

Larger specimen plants, 75c to \$2.00 each.

**Variegated Ivy:** A fast grower with leaves same size as the English, but variegated cream yellow, and green.

Plants in 3-inch pots, 10c each; larger plants in 4-inch pots, 25c each.

### 9. GERANIUMS

Very desirable effects may be had by the use of these old favorites. Given the least bit of attention as regards regular watering and occasional feeding they will repay you with year 'round bloom.

Plants of trailing or upright varieties in small pots, 10c and 15c each.

Larger plants for immediate effect, 25c to 50c each.

See Pelargoniums, page 26.

### 10. NASTURTIUMS

The fragrant double nasturtium, Golden Gleam, is a wonderfully showy thing when used in a hanging basket. A good winter and spring bloomer.

Plants in pots, 10c each; 6 for 40c; 12 for 75c.

### 11. STRELITZIA REGINAE

#### "Bird of Paradise"

The exotic orange, white and blue flowers of this striking plant closely resemble the head of a tropical bird. Hence the name "Bird of Paradise."

The wide flat foliage is carried on 2 to 2½-foot stems which spring from the ground at a central base. These large, almost banana-like leaves form an excellent background for the beautiful flowers. Plants in 1-gallon containers, \$1.00; larger field clumps \$4.00 to \$6.00 each.

### 12. HANGING BASKETS

One or more well placed hanging baskets will add to the beauty of your garden. At our Nursery you will find at all times 50 to 100 of these fine baskets all planted and ready to be placed in your garden. Prices range from \$2.00 to \$7.50 each.

For those who wish to make up their own baskets we have countless numbers of interesting plants priced from 10c up. Wire baskets with hangers priced from 45c up.



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# SUN WORSHIPERS They'll Brighten Your Garden, Are Easy to Grow, Thriving in Almost Any Soil

## CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Each year from April 15th to June 1st I offer choice Chrysanthemum plants in 3-inch pots. Great care is used in the selection of the varieties offered, thereby assuring you of sturdy, sure-to-grow plants that will give results.

Potted Plants 15c each, \$1.25 per doz.

## DAHLIAS

By special arrangement with one of the leading cutflower growers of Los Angeles, I am able to secure many fine dahlia tubers at very low prices. Outstanding cutflower varieties for 25c to 50c each. Tubers ready March 1st to June 1st.

## DWARF DAHLIAS

These new dwarf dahlias have all of the fine colors and qualities of their larger relatives plus an even greater ease of culture. The plants grow to a height of 12 to 18 inches and are simply covered throughout the summer and fall with countless perfect miniature flowers in both doubles and singles. Fine for beds, borders or for pot plants.

Plants in flats, 25c per dozen.

Larger plants in pots, 10c to 25c each.

## BEDDING PLANTS

The seeds for the bedding or cut-flower plants which I sell are selected from the world's finest seed farms. This careful selection of seed on my part means better plants, and more flowers for you in your garden. Each year many new and interesting varieties are offered first at Baake's. These new plants help to keep your garden up to date. The cost of these plants to you is very small; most varieties of annuals selling for as little as 20c per doz., \$1.25 per 100.

## PANSIES AND VIOLAS

My superb strain of these ever popular border and bedding plants are conceded by all who grow them to be the finest they have ever grown.

Fancy plants sell for 25c to 40c per dozen, \$1.50 to \$2.50 per 100, according to size and variety. Violas, including all the new popular colors of Apricot, Burgundy, Electric-Blue, etc., 20c per doz., \$1.35 per 100.

## Plant Baake's World-Famous EARLY-FLOWERING SWEET PEAS

For those who are looking for the best in Early-flowering Sweet Peas these have no equal. Ten glorious colors, including white, cream, pink, orange, rose, salmon, crimson, scarlet, lavender and blue.

Mixed Colors, 15c per pkt.

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ANY SIX POSTPAID for only.....

75c

## PETUNIAS

One of the finest of all of the summer flowering annuals. These charming subjects are the rainbow of very garden picture. If given just a little care when young to get them well started, they will fill your garden with gay flamboyant colors for months and months.

Small flowered varieties, such as Rose of Heaven, Heavenly Blues, etc.

Plants in flats, 20c per doz., \$1.25 per 100.

Ruffled Giants and Frilled Types, 25c per doz., \$1.50 to \$1.75 per 100

Finest Ruffled and Frilled Types in 3-inch pots in flower, 2 for 25c, \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

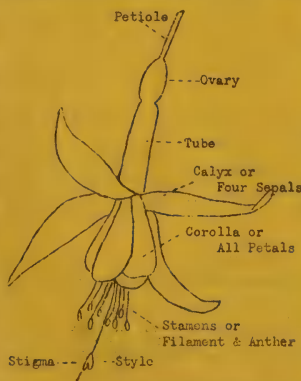
Potted plants available February 1st to September 1st.

## PLANT BAAKE'S GIANT PRIMROSES

FOR A GLORIOUS WINTER DISPLAY

*Primula Malacoides* "Baby Primrose." New giant flowered varieties in red, white, lavender and a glorious shade of pink. These beauties are as easy to grow as radishes, make excellent cut flowers, and are in bloom from the middle of December until the first of April. Try a few this year—you're sure to plant more next year. Plants in flats, 25c per dozen, \$1.50 per 100; in pots, 10c each.

*Primula Obconica*. Another good winter flowering type that makes a wonderful show in the garden, and is unexcelled as a pot plant for the house. New, extra large flowers are a feature of our superb strain. Colors are white, pink, red and blue. Flowers from January to June. Plants in flats, 50c per dozen, \$3.00 per 100; plants in pots, 15c up.



## Know Your Fuchsias

Added romance will be found by familiarizing yourself with the drawing shown at left.

**Calyx** is the four sepals. **Corolla** is the petals taken together. **Pistil** is the female organ. **Stamens** are the male organs. **Filament** is the stem of the stamen. **Style** is the stem of the pistil. **Pistil style, stigma and ovary.** **Stamen** anther and filament. **Ovary** forms the seed and berry. **Anthers** produce and carry the pollen to be transferred to stigma.



# PELARGONIUMS — Martha Washington Geraniums

Although we associate Pelargoniums with grandmother, and Early American gardens, they come to us from far-off Africa. Even though the early introductions were far inferior to the gorgeous azalea-like flowers of the present day plant, they met with instant favor. Their popularity has been steadily increasing and today we find them in great demand as potted plants for house or garden decoration.

In addition to being very decorative they are among the easiest of plants to grow. Any reasonably good soil, not too heavy, with occasional feedings of bone meal, will give excellent results. Half to full day sun and enough water to keep them barely damp is all they ask.

Plants are priced as follows unless otherwise marked: 3-inch pots, 20c each, \$2.00 per dozen; 4-inch pots, 35c each, \$3.50 per dozen; specimen plants in 6-inch pans, 50c to 75c each.



PELARGONIUM MRS. MARY BARD

**AZALEA:** Beautiful rosy-red flowers of great size, resembling an exquisite azalea. 2½-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**BABY JARRETT:** Petals of soft shell-pink with white throat. Feather of deep maroon on upper petals.

**BEVERLY HILLS:** Tempting shade of true orchid-pink. Very large flowers with upper petals penciled and blotched with maroon.

**CHERRY:** Although the flowers of this variety are small, the gay red and white blossoms make a very showy plant.

**CHICAGO MARKET:** A fine early variety. Large orchid-pink flowers, with deeper throat. The plant is dwarf and compact.

**DELIGHT:** Very light pink. Large showy flowers.

**DIENER'S GIANT:** Truly giant flowers of light salmon-pink. A beauty that is much in demand.

**DUCHESS OF KENT:** This is one of the finest white Pelargoniums on the market. The upper petals of the very large flowers are frilled, and have a faint penciling of pale mallow-purple. The plant is a vigorous grower. 3-inch pots, 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**EASTER GREETING:** Cerise-red, petals marked with dark blotches. Good early bloomer.

**ELLIOTT'S PINK:** A good plant with large flowers of rich rose with dark blotches.

**ETHELYN:** A gorgeous bright red with dark eyes.

**FAISS NOVELTY:** Bright lavender with dark purple blotches on each petal. The flowers are large and the flowering period long. 3-inch pots, 25c each.

**FAISS TRIUMPH:** A beautiful light salmon with white throat, blotched on the upper two petals with black and red. Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each.

**GRANDMA FISCHER:** Bright salmon with two dark blotches. A prolific bloomer.

**GLADYS KELLOGG:** Another good salmon-pink. Dark blotches on the petals, veined with maroon.

**GARDENER'S JOY:** A good white, flushed very light pink. The upper petals have a dark brown blotch surrounded by rose, slightly striped in lower petals. Very large umbels of immense flowers. 3-inch pots, 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**HAILE SELASSIE:** Rose-violet, paler toward the edge of the petals, heavily veined maroon and rose. Each petal is blotched velvety brown. 3-inch pots, 25c each.

**JOYCE:** A charming flower of cerise red, overlaid with velvety crimson and maroon, with a network of almost black veining on the upper petals. Medium white throat, shaded mallow-purple toward the center of the petals. A good grower and fine bloomer. 3-inch pots, 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**LOIS MacKAY:** A beautiful large-flowered variety with wavy petals. The upper petals are rose-pink flushed with salmon, and are penciled and blotched with crimson. Lower petals are silvery-pink. 3-inch pots, 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**MABLE:** Medium large, pansy-like flowers. Upper petals of deep velvety maroon, shading to rose-pink at the edges of the petals. Lower petals rose-pink with small orange-crimson marks. 3-inch pots, 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**MACHENSEN:** A really outstanding variety with large clusters of fiery rose flowers.

**MARIE ROBER:** A real sensation, and should be in every Pelargonium collection. Dark magenta-purple flowers of striking beauty. A good upright grower with clean deep green foliage. 3-inch pots, 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**MARIE VOGEL:** Salmon-red flowers, with two dark blotches. A very good variety of great merit. 3-inch pots, 25c each.

**MAY QUEEN:** Beautiful orchid color, with red upper petals. A worth-while variety.

**MRS. MARY BARD:** Snow-white with narrow purple stripes in the center. 3-inch pots, 25c each.

**OLYMPIC:** Large flowers of white with pink blotches.

**ORIENTAL:** Deep maroon with lighter edge.

**PASA ROBLES:** A fine showy variety with exquisite flowers of pure rose.

**PINK GARDENER'S JOY:** An old, but very popular variety. Just the right shade of salmon-pink. Dark eyes on the petals.

**RUTH MAC AFEE:** Large flowers of rich, glowing salmon-rose. Upper petals blotched and penciled with deep maroon. Extremely popular.

**SALMON QUEEN:** Bright iridescent salmon-pink with throat of soft pink. Two upper petals penciled with maroon.

**SALMON SPRINGTIME:** A good, free-flowering plant with salmon, rose-red flowers, flecked with white. 3-inch pots, 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**SANGUENEA:** A fine flower of deep crimson-rose made more striking by the contrasting deeper blotches. 3-inch pots, 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**SANTA MONICA:** A light pink with deep red blotches on the center. This is a fine variety liked by all who grow it.

**SHASTA:** Considered by all to be the finest pure white. 3-inch pots, 25c each.

**SMOKY:** A fine compact grower with delightful fragrant foliage. Flowers of rich, deep maroon.

**SPRINGTIME:** A delightful bright pink with edges and centers of white. The flower is ruffled and fluted.

**SUE JARRETT:** Very large bright pink flowers. Upper petals with dark blotches, lower petals with dark tracings.

**TRICOLOR:** A beauty, with lower petals of soft shell pink, upper petals a delightful combination of shell-pink, rose-pink and maroon.

**UNCLE RICHTER:** A dandy white with striking dark blotches on the upper petals. 3-inch pots, 25c each.

**WOLFGANG VON GOETHE:** Dark red petals with eyes of deepest maroon. Very popular with all who grow it.

**ZANOBIA:** What a glorious splash of color this one makes when in flower! Lower petals orange-red with crimson markings. Upper petals, velvety, deep crimson shading lighter toward the edges. 3-inch pots, 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.



# BAAKE'S SELECT

## ALSOPHILA AUSTRALIS (Australian Tree Fern)

This impressive giant holds the attention and admiration of all who see it. The immense fronds often attain a spread of 10 to 12 feet. As the plant grows it forms a veritable tree. Plants in 4-inch pots, 50c each; plants in 1-gal. containers, \$1.00 to \$1.50 each; Larger specimen plants, \$2.50 to \$10.00 each.

**ASPIDIUM CAPENSIS:** A hardy fern from South Africa standing both heat and cold and some sun. It has bright evergreen fronds 2 to 3 feet in length. It is easy to grow and not particular as to soil. Sure to please.

**ASPIDIUM TSUSSIMENSE ("Holly Fern"):** One of the best of the small-growing ferns. Attractive evergreen foliage.

**ASPLENIUM BULBIFERUM:** Locally called the mother fern for the young ferns start on the old fronds which are 18 to 30 inches in length. It is an outstanding fern in every planting.

**CYRTOMIUM FALCATUM:** Besides being one of the most beautiful of the "Holly Fern" family it is the easiest to grow and very popular. The beautiful dark green fronds are 14 to 18 inches long. Evergreen.

**CYRTOMIUM ROCKFORDIANUM:** Commonly called the Holly Fern. An attractive evergreen fern with 18 to 24-inch fronds of deep glossy green which form a beautiful contrast to the other ferns in the fernery.

**DICKSONIA ANTARTICA:** A very rare tree fern which attains a height of 20 feet or more, producing fronds of deep green 4 to 5 feet long and 2 feet broad. It is a native of Australia and is the hardest large tree fern. Stock limited. **Small plants, 50c to \$2.00.**

**DUVALLIA CANARIENSIS ("Tree hare's foot fern"):** This wonderful basket fern derives its name from the peculiar shape of its rootstock, which curves over the side of the pot or basket. These rootstocks being covered with coarse brown hair, very closely resemble a hare's foot. **Plants in 4-inch pots, 75c each.**

**DAVALLIA FIJISIENSIS:** A very beautiful and rare fern for pots or baskets which we are offering to the public in small sizes for the first time. Usually seen only in some large conservatory or as a specimen. **Small plants, 35c.**

**DAVALLIA PLATYPHYLLA:** A tall upright growing fern of glaucous green 6 to 8 feet tall. A rare fern, fine for a corner in the wall or as a background for other ferns. **\$1.00 up.**

**DAVALLIA TRIGOSA:** A real novelty, being beautiful in the rockery as well as making a fine hanging basket variety. The fronds are a soft gray-green, 18 to 24 inches in length with a pendulous habit. Everyone that has seen this fern is fascinated by it. **\$1.00 up.**

**DOODIA ASPERA:** One of the prettiest small ferns as well as most useful. It has erect fronds 12 to 16 inches long, the young fronds being of rosy pink changing to deep green in maturity.

**GYMNOGRAMMA—Goldbach Fern:** A handsome subject for tub or garden planting. The fronds are dark green on top, with the back a pure golden yellow. Very popular.

## ADIANTUM O'BRIENE, Maiden Hair Fern

The proper placing of a few of these delicate though hardy beauties will add much to your garden picture. The following is a partial list of easy-to-grow varieties that we know you will like.

**CULTURE:** While it is true some ferns will grow in any soil, all are benefited by the use of leafmold and light loamy soil as a growing medium. Grow them in the shade and protect them from drafts or heavy winds.

Plants unless otherwise marked are:  
 2½ and 3-inch pots, each.....\$0.25  
 4-inch pots, each......50  
 6-inch pots, each......75

**ADIANTUM ALTADENA:** Has smaller foliage than O'Brieni. It is fine for outside planting, standing the coldest weather in Southern California. This one is a favorite with all who know it. **3-inch pots, 30c each; 4-inch pots, 50c each.**

**ADIANTUM FORMOSUM:** A most wonderful maiden hair with deep green fronds 18 to 24 inches long by 12 to 18 inches spread. It is a greenhouse or lathhouse fern of great beauty and is wonderful in a hanging basket. A native of Australia. **\$1.00 up.**

**ADIANTUM GRACILLIMUM:** Has very minute foliage. It should be grown in a pot or basket as it will not stand overhead watering. A favorite with everyone who knows it as it is fine for cutting for bouquets or corsages. **3-inch pots, 30c each; 4-inch pots, 50c each; 5-inch pots, \$1.00 each.**

**ADIANTUM O'BRIENI:** Our choice as the best hardy maiden-hair for rock gardens or walls. It is from South Africa, standing our coldest weather and some sun. See illustration on page 22.

**ADIANTUM PEDATUM:** Five Finger Fern. This beautiful North American fern, though hardy, is often treated as a greenhouse fern, and when grown in pots should have protection in cold weather. It is a favorite for growing in a sheltered nook in the rockery. **3-inch pots, 30c each; 4-inch pots, 50c each.**



ADIANTUM PEDATUM (Five Finger Fern)



ALSOPHILA AUSTRALIS (Australian Tree Fern)



# HARDY FERNS

**HAWAIIAN BRAKE:** One of the best ferns for naturalizing with fronds 2 to 3 feet long of a pleasing green. It will fill up a corner or spot in the yard remaining beautiful most of the year. It increases from runners and is dormant for about two months.

**NEPHROLEPSIS SPARROWII:** This is without question one of the finest of the medium size ferns, excellent for either pot or garden culture. Its finely cut, lacy fronds remind one of a delicate piece of filagree. The plant is a vigorous grower with just enough stiffness to the foliage to make it withstand heavy rain or wind without being beaten down. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 30c each; 4-inch pots, 50c each.**

**ONYCHIUM JAPONICUM:** Commonly called the carrot fern from its similarity in foliage. A native of Japan and hardy. Its fronds of light green are 12 to 18 inches long.

**PLATYCERIUM ALCICORNE (Staghorn Fern):** The Staghorn fern may be grown as a pot plant, in a basket or on a mossy stump. It needs no soil and is grown in moss.

**POLYPODIUM KNIGHTII:** One of the finest, and most rare ferns for hanging baskets. The fronds are long and graceful being equally as exquisite as a beautiful Ostrich plume. One of the most interesting features of the fern is that the fronds will be produced from the sides and bottom of the basket as well as out of the top, thus adding greatly to the beauty of the subject. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 40c each; 4-inch pots, 65c each.**

**POLYSTICHUM SETOSUM:** This is a glossy evergreen hardy fern from Japan and is one of the choicest in our collection. The fronds are 18 to 24 inches long by 4 to 6 inches broad.

**PTERIS ARGYREA:** The prettiest of the tall variegated pteris. Easily grown. Makes a specimen 18 to 24 inches tall.

**PTERIS CHILDSI:** A rare and very beautiful crested pteris. This variety makes wonderful specimens when grown in pot or basket. **Plants 1 foot tall, \$2.00 each.**

**PTERIS CORDIFOLIA:** This fern with its sword-fern-like fronds of a deep glossy green is fine in the rockery. One of the best for naturalizing, standing poor soil and little water.

**PTERIS LONGIFOLIA:** Has deep green fronds 18 to 24 inches tall of sword fern type. Stands some sun and ordinary soil. It adds character to the fernery.

**PTERIS TREMULA:** An old favorite, being fine in the house or fernery. It is not particular as to soil or care. The light green graceful fronds are 18 to 24 inches tall.

**SCOLOPENDRIUM VULGARE:** The Hart's tongue fern of the British Isles. It has step-like fronds of bright green 6 to 12 inches long. We have a number of varieties varying from plain leaved to crested and fish tail shapes. It is fine for naturalizing in the fernery or rock wall.



**POLYPODIUM KNIGHTII**

**SITIOBIUM CICUTAREA:** An exquisite novelty from the West Indies, which we have found hardy in this section. Has tall graceful fronds of a deep glossy green. Grows to height of 24 to 30 inches. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 50c each. Larger specimens, \$1.00 up.**

**WOODWARDIA NATIVE:** This gorgeous California native is hard to beat. Large, deep green fronds and strong upright growth. Average height 3 to 3½ feet. It stands some sun. **Dormant roots January to April, 20c each; plants in gallon containers, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00; plants in 5-gallon containers, \$1.00 to \$1.50 each.**

**WOODWARDIA RADICANS:** A really wonderful fern standing either full sun or shade. It is not nearly as well known as it deserves. The 3 to 6-foot fronds are shaped somewhat like our native Woodwardia but are of a pendulous habit and are unique in that new ferns form on the end of the fronds which are a bronzy green in color.



**GYMNOGRAMMA—Goldbach Fern**



**PLATYCERIUM ALCICORNE (Staghorn Fern)**





#### TUBEROUS BEGONIA

##### Camellia Flowered Double Rose

The above picture is a typical example of the fine form and excellent quality of the blooms obtained from Baake's California grown tuberous Begonias.

#### Prices for Tuberous Begonias

##### Large Tubers

Each .....	\$ .25
Per Dozen .....	2.50
Per 100 .....	15.00

##### Standard No. 1 Tubers

Each .....	\$ .15
Per Dozen .....	1.50
Per 100 .....	11.00

#### Camellia Flowered Type

The flowers of this type are five to seven inches in diameter and may be had in the following colors: Pink, Rose, Orange, Yellow, White, Crimson, Scarlet, American Beauty, Apricot and Salmon.

#### Double Rosebud Type

##### Excellent for Cut Flowers or Corsage Work

The flowers of this type are five to seven inches in diameter and may be had in the following colors: Pink, Rose, Orange, Yellow, White, Crimson, Scarlet, American Beauty, Apricot and Salmon.

Available in the following colors:

Blush, Pink, Rose, Salmon.

Fine sturdy tubers, 20c each; \$1.75 per dozen; \$11.00 per 100.

#### SPECIAL Beginners Collection

To acquaint you with the dazzling beauty of the Tuberous Begonia family I have selected 12 different types and colors of this lovely flower, including ALL of the popular types. These tubers will be mailed to you with detailed planting instructions, and enough of our special Oak leafmold to properly start your tubers, for only, postpaid. **\$2.00**

## Tuberous Begonias

The stock from which we select your tubers is the result of years of patient study, hand pollination and careful selection of breeding material. At our growing grounds, daily inspections of the plants are made and only those that produce finest quality flowers are allowed to remain. All others are taken out and destroyed, thereby leaving only the best for our customers.

At my nursery in West Los Angeles, each season are planted several thousand tubers. This is done so that when they are in flower the many customers who live near enough may come and select particular types and colors to suit their fancy. These plants are staked and the tubers reserved for them.

Also, the gorgeous display of dazzling beauty of thousands of these plants in bloom is a never ending source of joy for our many visitors. I cordially invite all who can possibly do so to come to see this thrilling sight. The flowers are at their best from June 15 to October 15. You are under no obligation to purchase. Bring your friends and stay as long as you like.

#### How to Grow Tuberous Begonias

Begonias, once started, need little care aside from the following simple rules:

Start your begonia tubers in shallow boxes, placing them in rows with a two-inch space separating each one. Use a mixture of two parts leafmold to one part sand; if the leafmold is not available use coarse sand. Set the tubers with the top of the tuber just level with the top of the sand or leafmold mixture. Keep your boxes of tubers in a shady place where the temperature is about 60 degrees Fahrenheit. Water them well, so as to soak the mixture thoroughly; after that keep just slightly damp until the leaves appear, when more water may be applied without danger of rotting the tubers.

When the plants are about three inches tall transfer to four or five-inch pots or directly to a partially shaded area of the garden. Set them in a light mixture of two parts leafmold, one part coarse sand and one part WELL ROTTED cow manure. When the first flower buds appear give frequent light feedings of some good well balanced commercial fertilizer.

On hot days, when the temperature is 80 degrees or over, sprinkle the foliage frequently. This will prevent the flowers dropping off.

In the fall, when the tops have died down, lift the tubers and store in a cool dry place, away from frost. The following January or February they may be started again. The average life of the tuber is eight years.

#### A TYPICAL BAAKE CAMELLIA FLOWERED BEGONIA

#### For a Real Treat

Be sure to visit my shade plant garden, where you will see thousands of lovely plants in full bloom all attractively displayed. Enjoy the charm and restful peace of this lovely spot. Saunter leisurely among the beds of bright colored flowers. After feasting your eyes on this gorgeous spectacle, your next thought will be to hasten home to bring a friend back with you to enjoy this pageantry of flowers.

#### Tuberous Begonia Seed

I have a limited supply of very fine seed in mixed colors of our world-famous Camellia-flowered strain at \$1.00 per pkt.





# Tuberous Begonias

## Sutherlandii

An interesting and popular variety with bronzy-red foliage. The plant is a compact grower, seldom getting more than 12 inches high. The small copper flowers are produced very freely. It is one of the earliest to bloom. We recommend it for border or pot culture.

Tubers, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100.

## Bargain Collection B

Here is a real opportunity for the fellow that is willing to take a chance. Naturally, where so many thousands of Tuberous Begonia plants are grown, there are always a few extras of some of the varieties. It is out of these overs that this collection is made. Rather than replant this surplus, I offer it to you.

12 good tubers, mixed colors and types,  
postpaid in U. S. A. for only.....

**\$100**

## GROW BETTER PLANTS

### Acorn Brand Leaf Mold

Be sure you start your seeds and tubers with my Acorn Brand pure Oak leafmold. It has the right acid content to insure speedy germination of your seeds or tubers. Also unexcelled for the base of your planting soil.

Large Bag, 65c.

### Specially Prepared Begonia Compost

This special Begonia mixture has all of the required physical and chemical elements to insure sturdy, continuous growth of your plants.

Large Standard Size Grain Sack, \$1.00; enough for 25 6-inch pots.

Medium Size Sack, 50c; enough for 10 6-inch pots.

### SINGLE FRILLED (CRISPA)

Comes in Many Colors

A splendid type for bedding, especially if the watering is done by overhead sprinkling. The large heavily frilled flowers are borne on long stiff stems, which keep the blossoms at all times well above the foliage. May be had in the following colors: White, Pink, Salmon, Scarlet, Yellow, Orange, Crimson and Rose.



### PEARCEI

#### Potted Plants

This is indeed an interesting one, for it has been the chief factor in producing many of the present garden forms. The bright yellow flowers, though small show up well against the foliage and the type has been very popular with us for basket, border or pot culture. Tubers, 25c ea., \$2.50 per dz., \$15 per each, \$2.50 per dozen, \$15 per 100.

#### POTTED PLANTS

##### Grown From Tubers

For those who prefer to start with established early flowering plants rather than tubers, I have ready for your garden each year thousands of well started plants. These plants are ready to set out as early as the middle of April, and may be had until the first of September. They are all grown from carefully selected tubers and are available in the following pot sizes:

Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; \$1.75 per dozen.

Larger plants in 4-inch pots, ready to bloom, 30c each; \$3.25 per dozen.

Still larger plants in flower, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

Specimen plants for immediate effect, in full bloom, \$1.00 to \$1.50 each, according to size and variety.



### CRESTED OR CRISTATA

#### Crested or Cristata

Order Early—We generally run short of these popular varieties. As the picture indicates, a most novel and interesting type. Their popularity is gaining rapidly, due, no doubt, to the great strides that have been made in the color range. Last year I planted an immense bed, thinking I would have more than enough for those who wished to stake particular tubers, but as the season came to a close I found that hardly a plant was not staked. Colors are same as Single Frilled.

### PLANTS in FLATS

25 LARGE PLANTS, READY TO  
FLOWER, DOUBLE CAMELLIA  
TYPE, MIXED  
COLORS FOR..... **\$2.00**

#### SINGLE VARIETY

In this distinctly beautiful type we find our most vigorous grower and the largest flowers. It is not uncommon to have flowers 8 to 9 inches across in the brightest of colors. Like the frilled type, the singles are good bedders, especially with overhead watering. Colors same as Single Frilled.







BEGONIA LATHHOUSE SHOWING HUNDREDS OF FINE SPECIMEN PLANTS



HOLLYHOCK BEGONIA  
(*Begonia Martiana*)

### TREASURE CHEST COLLECTION

Your choice of any 30 large size tubers, all properly labeled as to type and color. Postpaid in California.

**\$5.00**

#### NARCISSIFLORA TYPE

Here indeed is a most unique type. Sixty to seventy per cent of the plants will produce flowers that closely resemble those of the large trumpet daffodils. A worthwhile addition to your Begonia planting and one that never fails to attract attention.



#### For the Begonia Enthusiast

Every year I plant out thousands of tubers for the sole purpose of allowing you Begonia enthusiasts an opportunity to select and stake the particular plants you want. The tubers of the plants you stake are reserved for you. At the proper planting time they are delivered to you with enough of our special Oak leafmold to properly start the tubers.

These specially staked tubers sell for 25c each.

You may stake 1 or 100.

This old favorite, which was re-introduced by me in 1937, created more favorable comment than anything else in the garden.

For a background planting where a quick, easy growing plant is wanted, this type of Begonia has no equal. The soft pink, hollyhock-like flowers are produced unsparingly all through the summer.

Sturdy Tubers, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### Multiflora Nana

Grown in Europe for many years, and only recently introduced to America. The plants are dwarf, bushy and completely covered with dainty single and double bright colored 1½-inch to 2½-inch flowers. Excellent for pot or border culture. Tubers 25c each, \$2.50 per doz. Plants, April 1st, 35c each, \$3.50 per doz.





### Carnation or Fimbriatta Plena

This handsome and most interesting type is well deserving of all its popularity. The fine double blossoms so resemble those of a gorgeous carnation that it is really hard to believe one's eyes. The flowers are not quite as large as some of the other types, but they are produced very freely. Colors same as Single Frilled.

### Double or Camellia Flowered Picottee Type

These new Picottees are far superior to the old Marmorata types. Due to improvement of size and form, this group rightfully belongs in the Camellia flowered class. Fascinating two-tone color combinations appear in great variation, sometimes with strong contrasts, other times softly blended. Add a few to your collection this year. I know you'll like them. Colors include Red Picottee shades. Rose Picottee shades and Salmon Picottee shades.

Tubers, 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

### SEEDLING PLANTS

Every year we grow thousands of seedling plants. These plants are grown from carefully selected hand-pollinated seed. They are germinated in specially constructed, electrically controlled seed frames. When hardly larger than a sweet pea seed they are transplanted to flats, 250 to the flat. During this period of early existence they receive almost hourly attention, for I believe a good start is important to the ultimate well being of any plant. In a few weeks they are transplanted again and soon put out under lath frames, where still under special care they pick up the vigor and health that make the plants from Baake's so outstanding.

From these plants are made the plantings in our show gardens, and it is this same fine stock that I offer for sale during April, May, June and July.

Available in the following types: Camellia, Rosebud, Crested, Frilled, Carnation and Giant Single.

Husky, sure-to-bloom plants, established in 3-inch pots, \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.

## LOYDII or "HANGING BASKET" BEGONIAS

The most gorgeous hanging baskets imaginable can be created with this charming variety. Also, for window boxes or rockeries they have no equal. The exquisite sunburst-like blossoms are produced in such a riot of color and in such profusion that the plant is a veritable shower of radiant beauty for months.

The colors are: Rose, Pink, White, Crimson, Salmon, Yellow, Orange, Scarlet and Crimson Rose.

#### Choice No. 1 Tubers

Each	\$0.25
Per Dozen	2.50
Per 100	15.00

#### Flowering-size Tubers

Each	\$0.15
Per Dozen	1.50
Per 100	11.00

#### WIRE HANGING BASKETS

Here is a fine, sturdy, wire basket made of heavy galvanized wire that will not rust.

10-inch Size with Hanger	\$3.40
12-inch Size with Hanger	.50
14-inch Size with Hanger	.60

### BASKET Collection Complete 3 Tubers - Wire Basket - Soil and Moss

Here's something of universal appeal. Can be used in the patio or outdoor living room, or hung in a shady tree. See picture and description above. Everything complete—3 tubers, basket, earth, moss—just hang in partial shade where you want it.

Guaranteed to grow

**\$2.00**

### Loydii or "Hanging Basket" Begonia



## 20 Camellia Flowered Begonias

All double Camellia flowered collection. Two bulbs each of the following 10 colors: Scarlet, White, Rose, Yellow, Pink, Crimson, Salmon, American Beauty, Apricot, and Orange. Postpaid in California.

**\$2.00**





**CORALLINE LUCERNE**

In any collection of Begonias or in any garden, this variety will stand out as one of the most attractive. I consider it one of the showiest of the Fibrous Begonias. The plant is a sturdy grower with large, luxuriant, bronzy-green foliage, and great clusters of bright, rosy-red flowers. Specimen plants, many with flowers, each \$1.00. Smaller plants, 3-inch pots, 25c each; plants in 4-inch pots, 40c each.

### Timely Tips on Culture of Fibrous Begonias

Begonias for the most part thrive best in a well drained, partially shaded location such as in a lath-house, a summer house or where they receive filtered sunlight from trees or tall growing shrubs. Oak leaf-mold, whenever that is obtainable, is the best foundation for your soil mix. If this is not obtainable use German or Swedish peat moss. The leafmold should be well rotted, and in a rather coarse condition, with some leaves in it about the size of one's thumb nail.

**Mix up as follows:** Two shovelfuls of leafmold or peatmoss, one shovelful of sandy loam, one shovelful of well rotted cow manure (by well rotted I mean at least eight months old), and to this add one 2½-inch pot of cotton seed meal, and one 4-inch pot of granulated charcoal.

The plants may be potted or set in the garden in this soil. Begonias are not deep rooters, so a pocket of eight to twelve inches of the above is sufficient. Water well during hot weather, but do not drown the plants. They cannot stand having their roots in water. Occasional light feedings of cotton seed meal will help the growth and bloom. Should the soil get on the alkaline side, apply a small dose of aluminum sulphate, about one ounce to each square yard.

### Fibrous Begonia Prices

Unless otherwise marked, all of the Fibrous Begonias are priced as follows: **Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each;** plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each; specimen plants in larger containers, 50c to \$5.00 each.

## Year 'round Bloom with FIBROUS BEGONIAS

### Easy to Plant . . . Easy to Grow . . .

### Excellent for Garden or Pot Culture

#### Tree Form

**LUGANO (Robinson):** Beautiful Coralline Lucerne seedling with rich dark green leaves that are slightly smaller than those of the parent. A good branching type with deep pink blooms produced in great profusion.

**MARGUERITE:** One of the easiest to grow, and one of the most popular. A dandy, upright grower, height 3½ to 5 feet. The leaves are a bright glistening green and slightly hairy. The gleaming iridescent shell-pink flowers are produced in great profusion for many months.

**WALLOW:** One of the very best new things. A fine tall grower branching well. The long dark wavy leaves are carried perpendicularly, giving the plant great dignity and elegance. The flowers are white, produced in large erect clusters.

#### Intermediate Growth

**DIGSWELLIANA:** This is known at my nursery as "the bosses' favorite." I'll have to admit it is my favorite. A wonderful, compact, very bushy plant. The leaves are almost as crinkly as holly leaves, and are a bright coppery-green that makes the plant really sparkle. Added to this is the profusion of iridescent pink bloom. It is one of those that everybody likes. Excellent as a house or garden subject, a year 'round bloomer.

**MEDORA:** Here is an outstanding variety. It is medium tall and much branched. The beautiful deep green leaves are heavily spotted white. The flowers are a soft rose-pink. One of the types of which we can never get enough stock.

**ODORATA ALBA:** Another popular one, because of the pure white, lemon scented flowers, which are produced the year around. Clean, dark green foliage. Stock limited.

**SACHSEN:** Very bushy upright habit, foliage beautiful bronzy-green and spotted. Many blooms of soft shrimp-pink that blends well with the foliage. Stock always limited because of great demand.

**THURSTONII:** This Begonia should be called Pink Cloud, for when it is in full bloom it reminds one of a lovely soft pink cloud. The great, upright clusters of beautiful pink blossoms are borne well above the dark bronzy-green foliage. Plant is naturally bushy and compact, with an average height of 3 to 3½ feet.

**CREDNERI:** Quite similar to Thurstonii, but more vigorous. Stems and leaves covered with hairs. Flowers slightly larger and deeper pink.

#### TEMPLINII

One of the finest begonias grown. This variety is so popular with all who see it that try as we may we never seem to have enough stock to meet the demand. A thick stemmed branching variety with wavy leaves adroitly colored with yellow, white and red. Produces clusters of pink flowers very early in the spring. **Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each; plants in 4-inch pots, 40c each; plants in 6-inch pots, \$1.00 each.**





# Excellent for Garden or Pot Culture



## CARMINE

One cannot praise this lovely Begonia enough. Its beautiful mahogany-red foliage forms a perfect background for the profusion of bright pink flowers. The plant itself is low and compact. It thrives equally well as a pot plant or in the garden. Flowering size plants in pots, 15c each, \$1.25 per dozen; 4-inch pot size, 25c each; 5-inch pot plants, 50c each.

## Low Growing Branching Types

**ABEL CARRIERE:** A low compact grower with very attractive silvery white foliage. Extremely effective when used as a potted plant or in a hanging basket. Delicate ivory white flowers.

**BERTHA VON LOTHINGEN:** Although some still list this one as Pearl de Lorraine, it is now generally accepted by the trade as Bertha V. L. Rather thick stemmed with smooth, dark green foliage peculiarly veined with chocolate lines. Flowers are pink, and it is a winter bloomer.

**INCARNATA:** Liked by all who grow it because of its wonderful display of bright rosy-pink flowers in mid-winter. It will grow to a height of 2½ to 3 feet. It is excellent for pot or garden culture.

**TINGLEY MALLET:** A beautiful new variety with metallic maroon red foliage and graceful pink flowers. Because of the exquisite foliage of this one it is here to stay. Plants in 3-inch pots, 35c each; plants in 4-inch pots, 65c each; plants in 6-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

## Thick Stemmed Varieties

**BUNCHII:** A very attractive compact sort, excellent for either pot or basket culture. It has bright green leaves, beautifully waved and crinkled, above which rise many lovely spikes of pink flowers.

**RICINIFOLIA:** Known by many as the star begonia, because of the star shaped leaves. This giant sends up enormous bronzy leaves on long thick stems. It is not uncommon for the leaves to measure 15 inches across. The bloom stalks are often 4 feet tall with large bunches of pink flowers a foot or more across. A wonderful tub plant. Stock limited. Small plants, 50c each; larger plants, \$1.50 to \$4.50 each.

**SUNDERBRUCKII:** Decidedly a star begonia. Dark, mottled turtle green foliage, much like ricinifolia in growth, but smaller all the way around. Spikes of pink flowers in early spring.

## Scharffiana Group

**HAAGEANA:** A fine, tall growing variety with luxuriant green leaves that are rather hairy, somewhat like Begonia Richland. The flowers are white, tinted pink and produced in large pendant clusters. It is a winter bloomer, making a wonderful pot plant for house or conservatory. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 25c; plants in 4-inch pots, each 40c.

## Scharffiana Begonia

Of all our numerous fibrous rooted begonias the striking foliage of this one attracts most attention. The leaves are large, rounded, hairy and thick; but it is their color that makes everyone wish to own this plant. They are a rich dark green on top and a beautiful deep red underneath. The blossoms, which are borne on long branching stems, are white with a rosy tint, forming a fine contrast to the colorful foliage. This lovely plant does well as a house plant and will add much color to your window display. 3-inch pots, 25c; 4-inch pots, 40c; 6-inch pots, \$1.00.

## VISIT OUR LATHOUSE OFTEN

There Is Always a Flower Show for You to Enjoy

## Climbing or Scandent Type

**GLAUCOPHYLLA SCANDENS:** One of the most highly prized and novel of the begonia family. A trailing variety, with beautiful waxy green foliage. The flowers are a lovely salmon-pink. Stock always low, because of the great demand for this one. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 25c; 4-inch pots, each 50c.



## NITIDA

Wonderful free blooming white that should be included in every begonia collection. The plant only grows to about 2 feet, making an excellent subject for pot culture. In bloom the year 'round with dainty white flowers. Plants in 3-inch pots, each 25c; plants in 4-inch pots, ea. 50c.

## Semperflores or Everblooming Bedding Types

**BRENTWOOD:** Introduced in 1938, but now one of the most popular. It is giving the old favorite, Luminosa, stiff competition for first place. 2½-inch pots, 10c each.

**SNOW QUEEN:** Without exception the finest dwarf white variety in existence. Clear, light-green foliage, which is completely smothered with glistening pure white flowers. Has no equal for pot culture. 2½-inch pots, 15c each.

**TAUSENSDSCHOEN:** The flowers of this wonderful new variety are a unique, very bright carmine-rose. The plant is compact with medium small foliage. Here is a winner sure to stay. Plants in 2½-inch pots, each 15c; 4-inch pots, each 35c.

## BEGONIA RICHLAND

A new Baake seedling of Haageana, having all of the parent's good qualities, plus many new ones of its own. Namely, it is a better bloomer, a more vigorous grower and is more frost resistant. Fine specimen plants, 50c to \$2.50 each.





# Baake's Popular Perennials

## PRICES FOR PERENNIAL PLANTS (Unless Otherwise Noted)

2½ and 3-inch pots...15c ea., \$1.25 per doz.  
4-inch pots...20c ea., \$2.25 per doz.  
Gallon containers...20c each

In addition to the perennials listed here we have many more annuals, biennials, shrubs, sub-shrubs and bulbous plants that are very effective when planted with perennials. Plan to visit our nursery where you will see the complete collection.

**AGERATUM MIDGET BLUE (Mexican Floss Flower):** This is the third season for this new large flowered, extra choice variety. The plants we offer are all cutting grown from the original stock. They far surpass all other ageratums, with their large intense deep blue flowers. Small plants in pots, 10c each; large specimen plants, 25c and 35c each.

**ANEMONE JAPONICA (Windflower):** Particularly well suited to the shaded areas of your garden. It attains a height of 6 to 6 feet. In August and September the great umbles of large daisy-like flowers make a wonderful show.

**ANEMONE WHIRLWIND**—White.

**ANEMONE QUEEN CHARLOTTE** — Semi-double, medium-pink.

**ANEMONE ROSEA SUPERBA** — Rosy pink. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each. Plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**AQUILEGIA (Columbine):** The Colorado state flower. Because of the fact that it is native to every state in the Union, the columbine is probably the best known of all of the perennials. Hybridists have worked wonders with this flower and today we have many fine varieties and the color range is unlimited.

Double flower varieties in mixed colors only.

Long spurred, improved Mrs. Ecott Elliott strain in shades of blue, pink, yellow, orange and scarlet.

The new clematiflora variety is very pleasing with its large beautiful flowers that closely resemble the clematis. Plants in flats by the doz., 30c; potted plants, 10c each; larger flowering size plants in 1-gallon containers or large field clumps at 30c each.

Plant aquilegia in partial shade in the valleys. It will stand full sun near the coast.

**ASTER FRUITICOSA:** A compact shrub of 2 feet. It has shiny, finely cut foliage and is completely covered in April, May, and June with masses of single aster flowers. Good for a sunny location. Plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each; plants in 1-gallon containers, 50c each.

**ASTER FRIKARTI (Wonder of Stafa):** Finest of all hardy asters. From June until December this bushy plant will produce continually and in abundance, large lavender-blue aster-like flowers. It makes a very good cut flower. Plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**HARRINGTON PINK (Pink Aster Frikarti):** Exact counter-part of the blue flowered variety except for the color of the flowers, which are a beautiful shade of pink. Strong flowering size plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**CAMPANULA ISOPHYLLA:** One of the finest perennial basket plants in existence. All through the late summer and fall these plants produce long cascades of pure white flowers. A well grown basket of Campanula Isophylla is a never-to-be-forgotten sight. Plants in 3-inch pots, 25c each; plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each.

**COMPANULA MURALIS:** One of the most showy of the Campanula family, covered with deep blue flowers during May, June and July. Last year while our one basket of this lovely plant was in flower, we sold over 500 smaller plants.

It is easy to grow and cannot be recommended too highly for hanging baskets, window boxes or rock gardens. Plant in any good soil and protect from the hot noon day sun. Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each; larger plants in 4-inch pots, 35c ea.

**CAMPANULA CALYCANTHEMA (Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells):** A wonderful biennial. It grows 2½ feet tall and is covered with bright blue, pink, or white cup-and-saucer-like flowers. Very showy. The secret of growing these well is to select a sheltered spot in the garden and plant in well drained soil in sun. Plants in flats, 20c per dozen; larger plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each, \$1.25 per dozen; plants in gallon cans, 35c each. See page 21.

**CHRYSANthemum MAXIMUM:** See Shasta Daisy.

**COLUMBINE:** See Aquilegia.

**CORAL BELLS:** See Heuchera.

**COREOPSIS:** There is nothing better for that sunny spot in your garden, if you want it covered quickly. Chrome yellow flowers on long stems. Good for cutting.

**SUNBURST:** Best double variety.

**MAYFIELD:** Giant large-flowered single.

**DELPHINIUM-PACIFIC STRAIN:** These glorious delphinium far exceed all other strains. Their giant flowers, richness of color and sturdiness have made them the world's favorites. Plant them 15 to 18 inches apart in good soil to which plenty of bone meal has been added. Must have full sun. Popular colors are white, light blue, dark blue and lavender shades. Seedling plants 35c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100. Field clumps, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

**D. KING ARTHUR:** A tall brilliant spike of rich royal purple.

**D. GUINEVERE:** A clean lavender-pink self with white base.

**D. SUMMER SKIES:** As the name indicates, the sparkling blue of summer skies.

The above three named varieties in large field clumps or in 1-gallon containers, 35c each, \$3.50 per doz.

**DIANTHUS CHINENSIS (China Pinks):** Double Mixed, 20 inches tall. Plants in flats, 25c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100.

**DIGITALIS (Fox-glove):** While it is true that this is a biennial we ask your indulgence in allowing us to place it in with the perennials. This old favorite has been greatly improved since the days when grandmother grew it in her garden. Today its great showy spikes of bright colored flowers furnish charm and dignity wherever used.

**GLOXINIA FLORA TYPE:** 4 to 6 feet tall. Yellow, purple, rose and white. 1 year old field clumps, 25c each; \$2.75 per doz.; 4-inch pot plants, 20c each; \$2.00 per doz. Plants in flats, 25c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100.

**HEUCHERA SANGUINI (Coral Bell):** One of the finest low growing perennials. Excellent for rock garden and border. Dainty bell-like flowers of coral red are produced for months on stiff stems.

**HELIOTROPE:** An old favorite that is, and always will be, very popular. It has heads of very fragrant flowers of heliotrope blue, purple, light blue and white flowers. Will grow in any good soil in part shade but it does not like much frost. For a beautiful and striking effect make a planting of Fuchsia Display for a background and put some Blue Heliotrope in the immediate foreground. Plants in 3-inch pots, 15c each; 4-inch pots, 25c each and 35c each.

**LA VANDULA VERA (English Lavender):** Two feet tall, likes full sun, has fine gray foliage topped with spikes of deliciously fragrant lavender flowers.

**LINUM FLAVUM:** Has bright golden yellow flowers in winter. Plant in full sun.

**LINUM PERENE:** One of our finest blue perennials. Has tiny needle-like foliage. Small heavenly blue flowers on slender stems. A summer bloomer that prefers sun. 2½ feet tall.

**LOPEZIA ROSEA (Mosquito Plant):** A fine spreading basket or rockery plant covered in summer and fall with dainty pink flowers. 2½-inch pots, 10c each; plants in 1-gallon containers, 25c each.

**LOTUS BERTHOLETII (Coral Gem):** Very attractive, soft gray-green, fern-like foliage with bright scarlet exotic looking flowers. This plant is decidedly procumbent, and will trail over the side of your basket greatly enhancing its beauty.

**OENOTHERA CHILDSII (Mexican Primrose):** One of our most hardy and persistent perennials. Throughout the entire summer the two-foot tall plants are massed with 2-inch, rose pink, cup-shaped flowers. Requires practically no attention.

**PENTSTEMON:** A sun lover if there ever was one. Keep the old flowers removed and they will flower from June to December.

**P. GRANDIFLORUS FLAMINGO:** Flamingo-bright red, dwarf dark red, deep pink. Sierra Madre-watermelon pink, white.

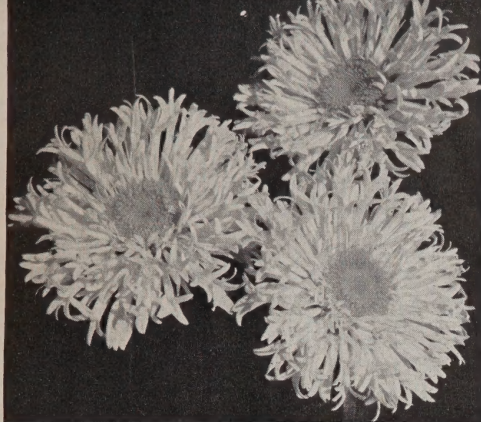
**P. BLUE GEM:** Glowing blue flowers, rich deep green foliage. Grows only one foot tall. Excellent for borders. 2½-inch pots, 10c each; gallon containers, 35c each.

Mixed colors, from seed, in flats, 20c per dozen, \$1.15 per 100.

**PETUNIA—Giant Ruffled**







**SHASTA DAISY CHIFFON**

## Petunias

One of the finest of all of the summer flowering annuals. These charming subjects are the rainbow of every garden picture. If given just a little care when young, to get them well started, they will fill your garden with gay flamboyant colors for months and months.

Small flowered varieties, such as Rose of Heaven, Heavenly Blue, etc.

Plants in flats, 20c per doz., \$1.25 per 100. Ruffled Glans and Frilled Types, 30c per doz., \$2.00 to \$2.50 per 100.

Finest Ruffled and Frilled Types in 3-inch pots in flower, 2 for 25c. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

**PHLOX DECUSSATA** (Perennial Phlox): These beautiful, hardy perennials are one of the most brilliant of summer flowers. To grow phlox really well, have the soil well drained, deeply spaded, and enriched with well-rotted manure or bone meal. Set the plants 1 foot apart. Lift and divide every 3 or 4 years. Never water overhead. Keep the foliage and bloom dry, always letting the water run slowly from the hose to soak in the ground. Do not cultivate or disturb the surface soil as the roots are near the top. Mulch the plants with one inch of well-rotted cow manure in January, and again with one inch of leaf-mold in June. Keep seed pods removed to prolong blooming season.

## List of Popular Varieties For Southern California

**PAINTED LADY**—Strong growing pink.  
**COUNT VON ZEPPLIN**—White with carmine eye.

**FIREBRAND**—Brilliant, clear red.

**SALMON GLOW**—Best salmon.

**WIDAR**—Lavender with white eye.

**FLORA J. REIDY**—Pure white.

**LEO SCHLAGETER**—Fine scarlet.

**MORGENROOD**—Rose pink.

**BEACON**—Cherry red.

**MRS. HARDING**—Very large orange-salmon.

**REHMANNIA ANGULATA ALBA**: Exact duplicate of the pink variety except that the flowers are a beautiful shade of soft ivory-white. Plants in 3-inch pots, 20c each; 4-inch pots, 25c each.

**REHMANNIA ANGULATA**: Grows rapidly to a height of 2 feet or more, flowering from spring until late summer. Pink flowers about the size of fox gloves. The flowers keep for days when cut. Interesting deep cut leaves. Sun or shade.

## New Shasta Daisies

**GIANT MARCONI**: Wonderful new double of immense size. The flowers are very frilly, on good long stems. Plants in 1-gallon containers, 50c each.

**ESTHER REED**: Rare ever-blooming double variety developed in Europe. Snow white blooms 4 inches in diameter on good 15-inch stems. Plants in 1-gallon containers, 50c each.

## Shasta Daisy

**SHASTA DAISY** (S. Alaska Single): Large flowered white, growing low enough for edges of walks and borders.

Plants in flats from seeds, 20c per dozen; \$1.15 per 100.

Larger plants in 3-inch pots, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.

Gallon containers, 30c each.

**S. PASADENA**: Giant flowers on 4-foot stems. The plants are very vigorous. Gallon containers, 35c each.

**S. CHIFFON**: A handsome double quilled variety used very extensively for cutting. 12 to 15 inches tall. 3-inch pots, 20c each.

**S. DOUBLE WHITE**: Huge double and semi-double flowers of pure white. Gallon containers, 50c each.

**S. SNOWDRIFT**: A beautiful fluffy double white. 3-inch pots, 20c each.

**STOKESIA CYANEA COERULEA** (Stokes Aster): A charming perennial with pretty blue flowers much like those of the China Aster. Summer and fall bloomer. Plant in full sun in well drained light soil. Set plants 6 inches apart.

**THALICTRUM** (Meadow Rue): A fine hardy perennial liked by all who grow it because of the wonderful keeping qualities of the fine maidenhair-like foliage and the dainty blue bell flowers. It is not uncommon for it to remain in good shape for two weeks after it has been cut. It does well in any good well drained soil. Sun or partial shade. Set plants 10 to 12 inches apart.

**T. DIPTEROCARPUM**: Flowers of blue heightened by a bunch of yellow stamens and anthers. Plants grow to a height of 4 feet, blooming in August and September.

**T. COERULEUM**: Large dense heads of clear blue flowers on good stems. Blooms late summer and fall. Grows to a height of 2 feet. Likes good drainage and some shade. Set plants 8 to 10 inches apart.

**TRANSVAAL DAISY**: See Gerbera.

**VIOLET** (*Viola Odorata*): Really too well known to need describing. However, some people have trouble growing them so here are a few hints. In California in the coastal areas you should set your plants in full sun if you would have an abundance of flowers. Prepare the soil well by digging it deep and working in plenty of well rotted barnyard manure. Protect your plants from the ravages of sow bugs and spray them occasionally during the summer to keep down thrip and red spider.

**GOV. HERRICH**: Deep blue single. 3-inch pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.; plants from flats, 25c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

**MARIE LOUISE**: Double blue 3-inch pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

**ROSINA**: Here is a dandy! Flowers are pink to old rose with the finest fragrance of all violets. Good foliage and easy to grow. 3-inch pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

**SINGLE WHITE**: Sweet delicate fragrance. 3-inch pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

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## BLUE GERANIUM

Geranium Platypetalum

You'll enjoy this attractive novelty in your garden. The plant is easy to grow in pots or in the open ground in partial shade. It is covered almost the year around with single bright blue flowers.

Flowering size plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each.

## GERBERA

### Transvaal Daisy from Far-Away Africa

**TO PLANT**: Select a well drained sunny location, taking care not to cover the crown when you set your plants. Give water and fertilizer rather sparingly, unless your soil is very sandy and you will have no end of fine cut flowers. The plant is a perennial and may be divided every second or third year.

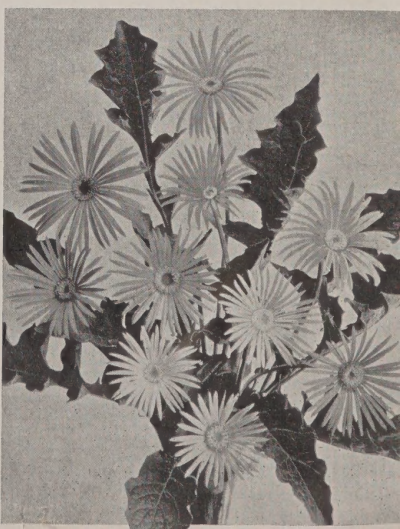
Sturdy well rooted plants, 8 months old, ready to bloom. 75c per dozen.

Larger field clumps, 1 year to 2 years old, may be shipped bare root in February, March, April, May and June and with small ball of earth in July, August, September and October. 25c to 35c each.

**SEEDS**: It is absolutely essential to have fresh seed for proper germination. This is available all months of the year except February, March, April and May.

**Trial Packet of Seed, 25c for 25 Seeds. Commercial Pkts., 75c for 100 Seeds; \$5 for 1000 Seeds.**

## GERBERA







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## Choice Flowering Shrubs

**BOUVARDIAS:** Excellent showy shrubs growing 2 to 3 feet tall, and standing temperatures as low as 25 degrees. Grow them in full sun near the coast, partial shade in the valleys.

**B. CORAL GEM:** Rich coral-pink, year round bloomer.

**B. ROSE PINK:** Deep pink, the darkest of all.

**B. HUMBOLDTII:** This white flowered one is by far the most popular because of the wonderful jasmine-like fragrance of its bloom. Popular for corsage work. Be sure to cut it back after each crop of flowers. This is necessary to keep it from getting straggly. **Plants in 1-gallon containers, 40c each.**

**BRUNFELSIA FLORIBUNDA:** A wonderful medium-sized shrub that will stand temperatures as low as 20 degrees. Throughout most of the year it produces quantities of fragrant deep purple flowers which gradually change to lavender and then to white. Likes good drainage and plenty of water. It will grow in sun or partial shade. **1-gallon cans, 60c to \$1.00 each, according to size; 5-gallon cans, \$2.00 to \$3.00 each.**

**DAPHNE ODORA:** 4 feet tall. Stands temperatures as low as 10 degrees. A very handsome plant covered in late winter and early spring with delicate creamy white flowers that are delightfully and intensely fragrant.

**DAPHNE ODORA VARIEGATA:** Counterpart of the preceding, with golden margin on leaves and pink flowers. Plant in partial shade. Give good drainage but water frequently. **Potted plants, 75c each; larger balled and burlapped specimens, \$1.50 to \$2.50 each.**

### GARDENIAS

For years these sweet scented beauties have been the pride and joy of every southern garden and the envy of every Yankee. Only recently have we of the southwest learned how to handle them successfully. For best results along the coast give them a well drained sunny location protected from cool winds. They like a slightly acid soil and 1 part leaf-mold, 1 part peat and 1 part sandy loam. Apply aluminum sulphate occasionally to keep the soil acid. Give more shade if planting in the warmer valleys.

**GARDENIA GRANDIFLORA:** A popular large flowered variety that does not drop its flower buds. A good bloomer, though not as prolific as Veitchi. Fine foliage and liked by many. **4-inch pots, 30c each; 1-gallon cans, 60c each; 5-gallon cans, \$1.75.**

### GARDENIA MYSTERY

**GARDENIA MYSTERY:** This one has the largest flowers and biggest, glossiest and most luxuriant foliage of all. A very popular variety that can be highly recommended. **Plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each; 1-gal. containers, 60c each; 5-gal. containers, \$2 each.**

**GARDENIA RADICANS:** A dwarf, rather prostrate, form, with pretty myrtle-like foliage. Very double, small, but intensely fragrant flowers. **Plants in 4-inch pots, 35c each; 1-gallon containers, 75c ea.**

**GARDENIA VEITCHI:** Liked by many because of the great abundance of flowers it produces. Blossoms and foliage medium size. **4-inch pots, 30c each; 1-gallon containers, 50c each.**

**HIBISCUS:** The very mention of the name brings thoughts of bright summer skies and vivid exotic flowers. I can think of nothing more showy than a well grown hibiscus with its gorgeous display of color. The color range is tremendous; all the ramifications of pink, salmon, orange, yellow and red, including over 50 varieties. **35c to \$3.50 each.**

## BILLBERGIAS

Billbergias and Eachmea are two extremely interesting groups of plants.

While it is true that these plants are Epiphytes, and will grow well with their roots in fifty-fifty combination of orchid fiber and sphagnum moss, they may be grown with great success in the open ground or in pots in any open, well-drained soil.

The foliage is variously colored and marked with the general shape and appearance of the tuft of growth one sees on the end of a pineapple fruit.

The flowers are a striking combination of brilliant reds, bright yellows, blues and greens. They make excellent subjects for shaded areas of the garden. Fine, showy specimens, **50c to \$2.50 each.**

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